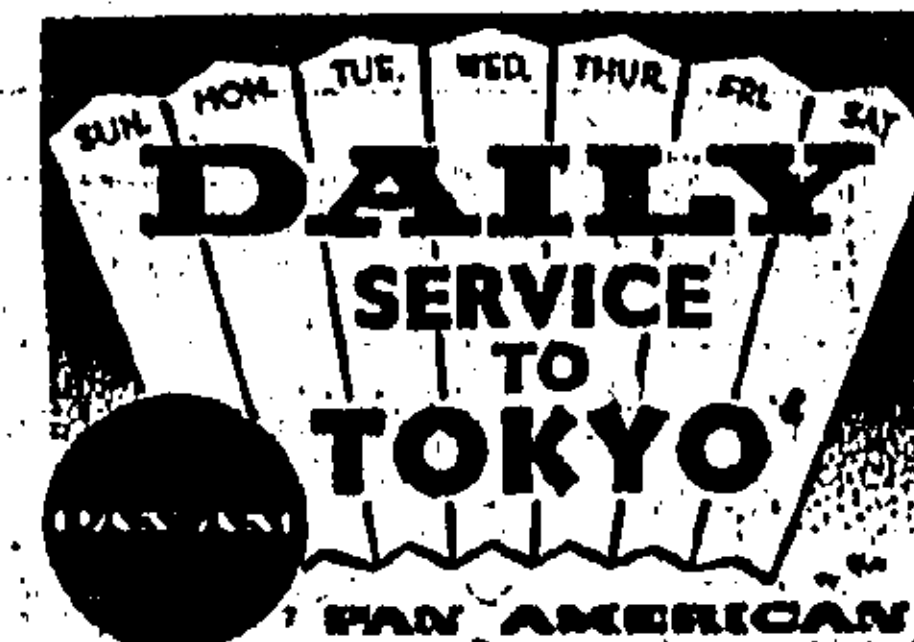




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ARMS FOR IRAQ

THE fate of Iraq seems very far from settled. Yesterday's announcement that the British Government has agreed to supply arms to the Government of Brigadier Kassem shows that in London there is still hope that Iraq may be able to maintain its independence despite its recent ominous drift towards Communism.

Various diplomatic observers in recent months have written off Kassem as another victim of Soviet infiltration, but these appear to have been hasty, pessimistic assessments, based partly on Iraq's decision to quit the Baghdad Pact and partly on the increasing Communist demands for power in the country.

Driven Deeper

RECENTLY Britain's ambassador to Baghdad, Sir Humphrey Trevelyan returned to London for consultations. It was obviously on the basis of these that Britain decided to supply arms. The arguments it has used to justify a policy that may seem puzzling to some in the Baghdad Pact area, is that if Britain withholds arms and weapons, Russia will not. And in consequence Iraq will be driven into deeper communion with the Communists.

There are other reasons why Britain should stay in with the Iraqis. The recent talks between Lord Monkton, head of the Iraq Petroleum Company, and Iraqi officials brought to light the determination by the Baghdad Government to take a greater share in administering and developing its own oil industry.

These threats may have been made only to strike a better bargain but there is no sense in underestimating the mood of the Government. Sandwiched between pressures from Nasser's United Arab Republic and Soviet Communism, Kassem needs to play a strong independent role to maintain popular favour. It is in Britain's interests to help him.

Fewer Friends

IT is important for Britain to impress upon Iraq that despite the severance of close ties, economic co-operation and trade on a mutually satisfactory basis. It is also important for Britain to show where her interests lie in the still tense struggle for power in this country. Another gain for Nasser's United Arab Republic would be as bad as another gain for Communism.

As long as Kassem remains middleman in the Nasser-Communist feud, Iraq serves both the West and the Baghdad Pact usefully. For Britain the Middle East is an area of diminishing friendship and the arms decision is therefore based on realism. Kassem, the usurper of Feisal's kingdom may not be a man that British people admire. But personal considerations count for little in official minds. Expediency generally wins the day. This is Britain's only justification for the decision it has made, which at any rate is unlikely to have any serious consequences.

33 REPORTED KILLED IN CRASHES IN AMERICA AIRLINE LOSES TWO PLANES IN ONE DAY

Viscount Struck By Lightning, Says Witness

New York, May 12.

Two Capital Airlines planes bound for Atlanta, Georgia, crashed today with a reported loss of 33 lives. The crashes occurred within 50 minutes of each other. All 27 passengers and the crew of four of a Vickers Viscount turboprop airliner flying from New York to Atlanta, were reported killed when it crashed 12 miles north-east of Baltimore. It was reported to have been struck by lightning, and exploded in mid-air.



Liz Taylor and Eddie Fisher, a recent photo.

JUDGE SLATES EDDIE FISHER Divorce Granted

Las Vegas, May 12.

Eddie Fisher was today granted a divorce from Debbie Reynolds and immediately obtained a wedding licence to marry Elizabeth Taylor by sundown. But he came under sharp fire from a judge.

Judge George Marshall, who did not take part in his case, said: "It is a disgrace to bring this man into court and grant him a divorce." He said he would have taken the case under advisement.

"Our laws are lax enough as it is," he said.

Closed Doors

District Judge David Zenoff granted the decree after hearing Fisher's case behind closed doors. Fisher asked for this proceeding, "nothing in secret" for the breakup of his "ideal" marriage with Miss Reynolds.

Immediately after the decree was granted, Fisher joined Miss Taylor, 20 steps across the corridor in the County Courthouse to obtain the marriage licence.

Fisher told correspondents: "I've never been in a courtroom in my life and I've never been so nervous."—UPI.

All Men In City To Give Fingerprints

Rotherham, May 11. Police said today they will fingerprint every male over the age of 14 in this city of about 70,000 people in order to find a killer. Chief constable J. E. Cotton said the highly unusual fingerprinting was being done in order to find a clue to the killer of 31-year-old Ernest Crapper. Crapper was killed in his house last month. Fingerprint teams may have to visit every house in Rotherham, officers said. Police have been hampered in the case because British public opinion has long opposed widespread fingerprinting. It gave my personal assurance that the fingerprints collected in this manner will be used only in connection with the search for the murderer, Cotton said. He said the prints will later be destroyed.—UPI.

At Charleston, West Virginia, two people were reported killed and 12 injured when a four-engine Constellation with 41 people aboard crashed over an embankment on landing and caught fire.

An airline spokesman said the plane was a total loss. Rain was falling at the time of the accident, and the runways at Charleston airport were slippery.

Most of those who escaped from the second plane said they had been saved by a hostess who opened an emergency door as the plane caught fire and showed the passengers through it.

Storm Broke

Witnesses of the Baltimore disaster said a storm had just broken out at the time the ill-fated Viscount was flying over the region.

An employee of the Martin Aircraft Company near the disaster scene said lightning hit the plane before it exploded and fell.

Debris was scattered over a five-mile region.

Only Once

Only once in commercial aviation history has lightning been blamed directly for an airliner crash. That was in 1940 when the crew of a DC-3 apparently was blinded by lightning bolt over Lovettsville, Virginia. The plane dove into the ground, killing all 24 aboard.

There are more instances, however, of aircraft being wrecked by severe thunderstorms. Thunderstorm turbulence can be powerful enough to knock even large planes out of control and in one case on record, tore the wings off a transport plane over the Gulf of Mexico.

New Radar

Capital is in the midst of equipping all its Viscount fleet with airborne radar. This warns pilots of thunderstorm turbulence as much as 150 miles ahead. It was not known, however, whether this aircraft was equipped with it. Capital is America's fifth largest domestic carrier and operates a fleet of about 60 British-built Viscounths. The sleek plane, which carries 44 passengers, was the first jet-powered transport plane put into service in the United States three years ago. Continental and Northeast Airlines also operate Viscounths. All agencies.

CAMERA'S AMAZING FEAT

Washington, May 12. Scientists have taken pictures of the Vanguard 1 satellite at the most distant point of its orbit around the earth. It was announced today.

The equivalent of this photographic feat would be snapping pictures of a golf ball from a distance of 600 miles.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) said three pictures were taken from the Smithsonian Optical Tracking Station at Woomera, Australia, when the artificial moon was 2,500 miles from the earth.

The Vanguard 1 is a sphere only six inches in diameter.—UPI.

Colony's Radio Communications Not Affected By "Solar Flares"

By A China Mail Reporter

SHORT wave radio communications in many parts of the world have been disrupted by solar disturbances but Hongkong has so far not felt the effect. The Washington cable said disturbances were expected to continue on Thursday. Mr. F. C. Barry, Wireless Engineer of Cable and Wireless, said this morning that Hongkong has not yet noticed anything unusual. "All communications in and out of Hongkong have been normal during the last two days."

The cable reported that Sunday's "solar flare" was followed by a second of about 24 hours later and it was the two flares which were causing such a long reaction.

He said that probably the reaction affected only the North Atlantic area. "It usually follows the sun going west. We seemed to have missed it this time."

Sukarno Rides A Bike



Indonesia's President Dr. Sukarno, on a recent State visit to Denmark, was so impressed by the unparalleled number of bicycles that fills that country's streets that on a tour of the housing estates at Odense, near Copenhagen, he insisted on borrowing one for himself as the only way of really appreciating the Danish way of life.—London Express Service.

UNIVERSITY LECTURER FINED \$25:

Discharged On One Charge

Alexander Mackenzie Hardie, a lecturer at the University of Hongkong, was this morning found guilty of a charge of driving without a valid licence and fined \$25 by Mr C. Q. Lim at Central Magistracy, but was discharged on another charge of driving while under the influence of liquor.

After hearing evidence on behalf of the defendant by Dr. Peter Lee to the effect that Hardie was a very sensitive, high-strung person who adopted a rude attitude towards others when irritated, Mr Lim said that the behaviour of the defendant after the accident was rather strange but that it might have been caused by the shock of the accident.

Mr Lim added that he thought defendant was really under the influence of drink when he was involved in the accident and that if there had been an additional charge of careless driving, he would have convicted him.

No Summer Election: Macmillan

London, May 12.

Mr Harold Macmillan, told the annual dinner of the Newspaper Society tonight that to have a summer general election would be contrary to British interests.

In some quarters, he said, he was accused first of avoiding a summer election for fear of defeat and then of robbing his party by excess of caution.

Mr Macmillan added: "I must say frankly that I think it would have been quite contrary to British interests to hold a highly contested election at the opening of what may be the most critical months in the history of Europe for many decades."

"There is beginning—or I hope there is beginning—at

Geneva at this very moment a most critical negotiation. If I cannot tell how it will develop, but it must be our hope that some progress will be made, and that it will be followed by a further negotiation between heads of governments."

Mr Macmillan introduced golfing metaphors in his reference to the "path to the summit."

Bunkered

"I am bound to say that the path to the summit is full of hazards," he declared. "You may be bunkered, or you may be out of bounds. If you get to the green, it is not the end but the beginning and it must be so treated."

"All the same, I cannot think that the contribution which British statesmanship has a right and a duty to make to these problems, would be enhanced if during this period the world were treated to spectacles of British politicians contending with each other with every possible degree of party feeling and even rancour."

Share My View

"Besides, if I may be quite frank, I think we shall do much better later on and I am happy to say that my leading colleagues share my view on this matter."

"Their views were eminently reasonable—that is to say they agreed entirely with mine."

U.S. Population

Washington, May 12. The population of the United States on April 1 was 178,466,000, the U.S. Census Bureau estimated today. This was 3,071,000 more than a year ago.—Router.

Abolish Death Sentence Plea In House

London, May 13.

A motion calling for the abolition of capital punishment was tabled in the House of Commons last night, signed by 70 members—69 from the Labour party and one Conservative party.

The motion expresses "the deepest anxiety and distress" at the anomalies of the Homicide Act "which discriminates between capital and non-capital murder by arbitrary categories which bear no relation to the comparative wickedness of the crime."

These anomalies were "an abiding offence to the sense of justice and the good sense of the community."

The motion calls attention to the case of Ronald Marwood, hanged last week for murdering a policeman, one of the present categories of murder punishable by death.

Marwood, 22-year-old London seafarer, went to the gallows after ugly scenes inside and outside grim Pentonville Prison here.

A petition for Marwood's reprieve was signed by 150 MPs—a move virtually unprecedented in Parliament's history. Last night it was expected many of these would also sign the motion tabled by Mr Sydney Silverman, a life-long opponent of capital punishment.

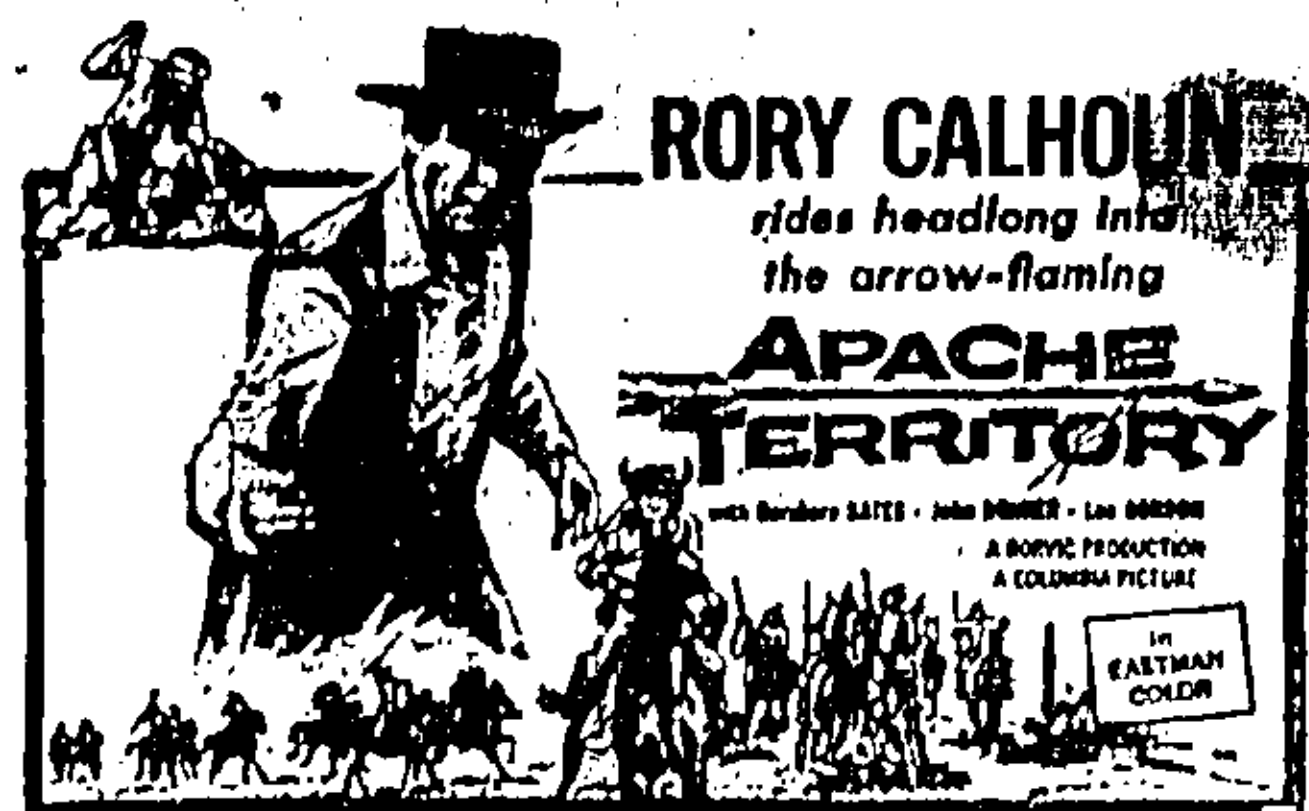
At present murder in Britain is punishable by death if it is committed in the circumstances of theft, by shooting or explosion, while resisting arrest, for a second time, and if the victim is a policeman or prison officer.—Router.



One of the less notorious scenes "last" night: the execution of Ronald Marwood in London last week. Four men kneel in prayer outside the Pentonville Prison, hours before Marwood went to the gallows.—Reutersphoto.

KING'S PRINCESS

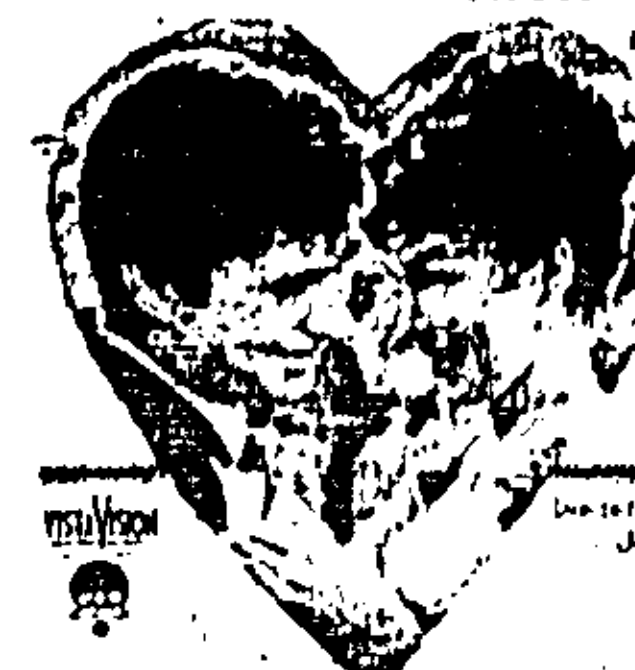
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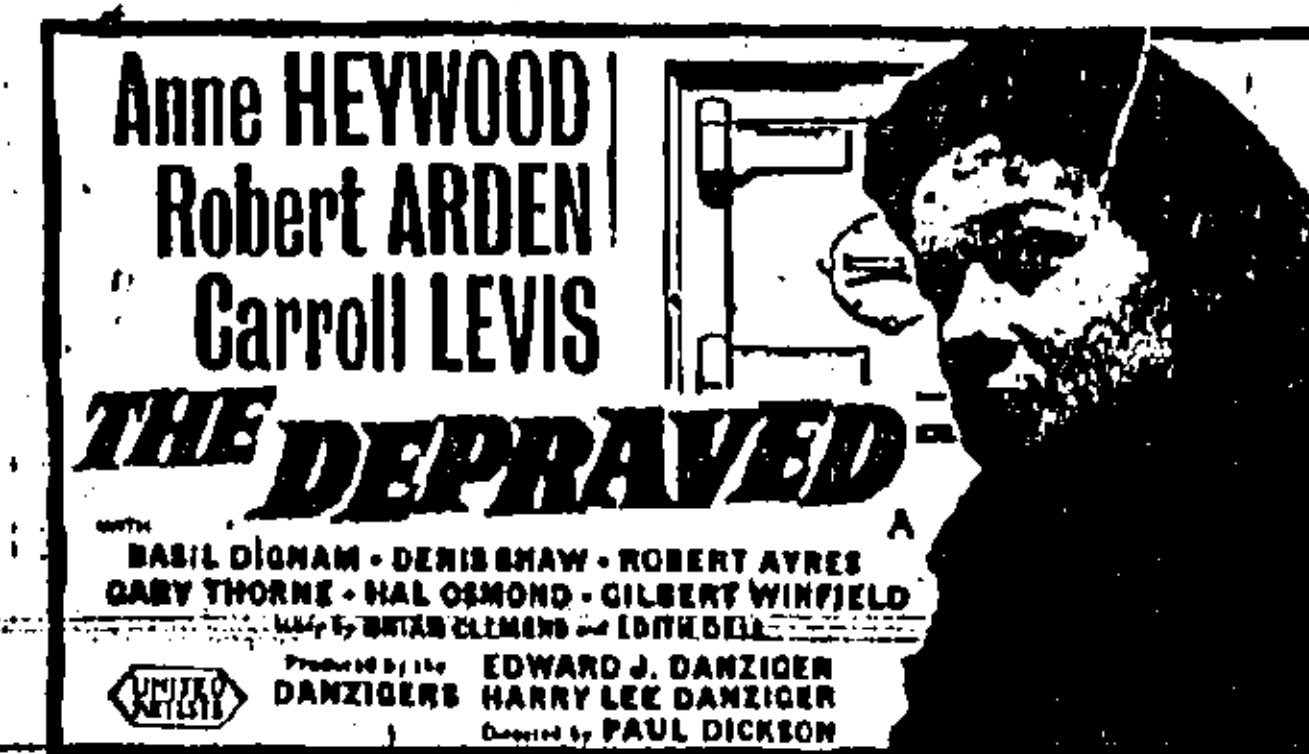
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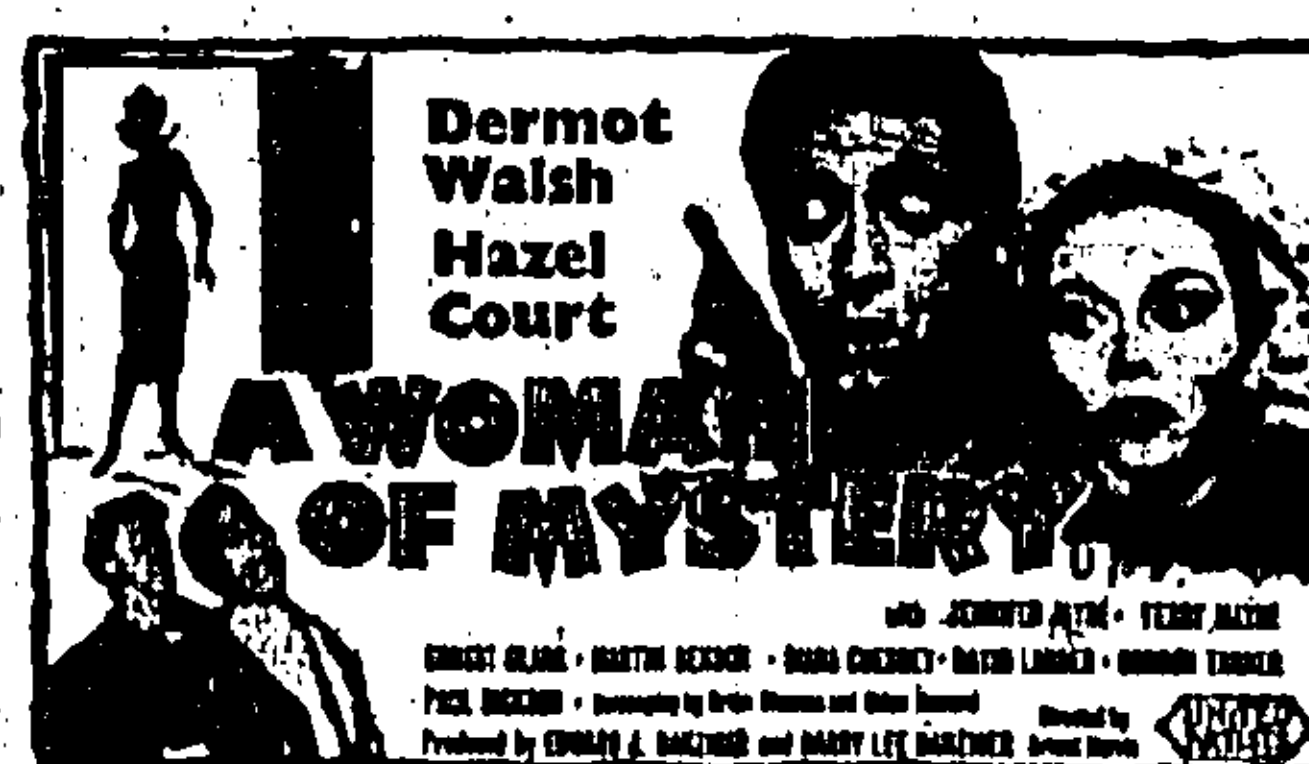
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WEST CONFIDENT RUSSIA WILL BACK DOWN

Geneva, May 12.

The second session of the Foreign Ministers conference today, in contrast to yesterday's dramatic developments, followed the course expected by diplomatic observers except in one respect.

This, observers said, was in the emphasis placed by Mr. Andrei Gromyko, Soviet Foreign Minister, on the argument that Poland and Czechoslovakia should be admitted

because of their sufferings as victims of Nazi aggression. Western officials had long expected that Mr. Gromyko would immediately call for the two East European states to be admitted at the start of the conference.

Great Importance

But in the past, observers recalled, the Russians have said they attached great importance to "parity" between the Eastern and Western blocs in international negotiations. The presence of Poland and Czechoslovakia would have meant each bloc had three full conference members.

Questions were now being asked in Western circles whether the Russians had given up their attachment to the principle of "parity."

One reason for Mr. Gromyko's arguments today, it was thought, might be to weaken the Western case for counter-proposing Italy, which started the war as an ally, not a victim of the Nazis.

The wrangle over participation in the conference might go on for two or three more days or even longer. But observers believed the Western powers would not give up their view that Poland, Czechoslovakia and other powers could come in later as full members for discussion of certain issues.

The Western powers appeared confident that Mr. Gromyko would eventually back down, it was stated.

Main Questions

The Foreign Ministers conference today, it gets down to real negotiation, is expected to discuss mainly Berlin, a German peace treaty and European security.

Observers believed that the pattern of participation in discussion of these issues might look something like the following:

1. BERLIN. — This, it could be argued, was a responsibility of the "Big Four" who governed Germany after the war, and of the Big Four alone.

On this basis, discussion of Berlin in the present conference should be confined to the Big Four Foreign Ministers.

2. A GERMAN PEACE TREATY. — Here not only Poland and Czechoslovakia, but Holland, Belgium, Norway, Luxembourg and numerous other countries could claim a legitimate interest in attending discussions. Mr. Christian Herter, United States Secretary of State, would be too unwieldy for the 45 nations took part in the war against Hitler.

Clear Case

Though all ex-belligerents could expect to attend a peace conference, such a number would be too unwieldy for the present Foreign Ministers conference, it was stated.

Therefore the line would have to be drawn somewhere, with the Western powers wanting to keep the number of participants as small as possible.

3. EUROPEAN SECURITY AND A ZONE OF LIMITED FORCES. — Here, it was thought, the number of conference participants might vary, according to whether the zone which the Foreign Ministers eventually discuss is a large or small one.

If, for example, the zone in question approximated to the area covered by the Rumanian plan, Poland and Czechoslovakia would have a clear case for attending.

If, on the other hand, there was discussion of a larger zone running perhaps across Europe from north to south, then countries from Norway in the north to Italy in the south would have a strong claim for being present. — Reuters.

BLACK'S BID TO SETTLE WATER DISPUTE

New Delhi, May 12.

Mr Eugene Black, President of the World Bank, arrived here today in a new bid to solve the bitter 11-year-old dispute between India and Pakistan over the division of the waters of the Indus Basin.

Accompanied by a four-man team, Mr Black will present to the Indian and Pakistan Governments a new \$600 million rupee (about £37 million) plan for the development of an equitable canal irrigation system for the two countries from the Indus River and its five tributaries.

IMPORTANCE

Considerable importance is attached to this visit since it is understood to be the World Bank's last attempt to try to reach a solution.

Details of the new plan are not yet known but it is understood to be based on the original plan put forward by the World Bank in 1934.

Under this plan the waters of the three western rivers of the Indus Basin—Indus, Jhelum and Chenab—would go to Pakistan and those of the three eastern rivers—Ravi, Beas and Sutlej—would go to India.

IN INDIA

Since the upper reaches of most of these rivers lie in Indian territory, Pakistan has expressed fears lest India should cut off her vital supplies and turn parts of Pakistan into a desert.

Negotiations have been deadlocked for the past four years and the problem has now assumed proportions of some urgency, since India has set a three-year time limit on the search for a settlement, after which she intends to go ahead with her own plans to develop the waters which run through her territory.

By then—1952—the giant Bhakra Dam, which will store up the waters of the Sutlej River in the Himalayas for use in a new irrigation system in India, will be ready so that Sutlej River water flowing into Pakistan will be accordingly reduced. — Reuters.

Reds Tighten Berlin Controls

Berlin, May 12. West Berlin police reported today increased Communist controls on the east-west border and the roads to Berlin.

They said two Soviet soldiers yesterday were stationed on all bridges on the Berlin-Helmstedt and Berlin-Nuernberg highways.

On the east-west city border East Berlin police checked identity cards of persons crossing the border.

Police were stationed at all subway and elevated railway exits at Potsdamer Platz, on the city border.

The Soviets and East Germans carry out such controls from time to time. Usually they are looking for Soviet Army deserters trying to reach West Berlin. — AP.

Demonstration Against Speidel



GENERAL SPEIDEL
"Nazi Go Home"

London, May 12.

Four men, arrested last night, as Hans Speidel, West German Commander of Nato Land Forces, arrived for a banquet at the Guildhall, were each fined £5 here today.

At the hearing, a banner, nine feet by four feet, bearing the words: "Nazi Speidel Go Home" was unfurled.

A policeman said it was displayed by two of the men outside the Guildhall after General Speidel arrived.

The banquet, to mark the 10th Anniversary of Nato, was attended by the Duke of Edinburgh and many Nato leaders. — China Mail Special.

Britain Hopes For More Soviet Trade

Moscow, May 12.

Sir David Eccles, Britain's President of the Board of Trade, arrived in Moscow today at the head of a British trade delegation.

After being welcomed by Soviet Minister of Foreign Trade, Mr N. S. Patolichev, Mr Eccles made a brief speech in which he said the British delegation was willing to come to some arrangement at the Soviet Government was equally willing.

Britain and the Soviet Union needed mutual trade, he said, adding that technical improvement had widened the range of products that might be exchanged between the two countries.

ADMIRER'S PROGRESS

He said he admired the progress that had been achieved by the Soviet economy and he had carefully studied the figures of the Soviet seven-year plan.

Britain, he said, had always been in a position to absorb a large number of Russian products and it hoped to absorb more.

Mr Eccles said that he knew nothing about a rumour that he would be going on to China after he left Moscow.

He also read a short statement for the Soviet radio, saying the delegation had arrived to talk business and to fulfill the agreement between Soviet Premier Khrushchev and Mr Macmillan regarding the extension of trade between Britain and the Soviet Union. — A.P.

COMMUNAL FARMING ANNOUNCED IN IRAQ

Beirut, May 12.

Bagdad radio today announced the formation of what appeared to be nation-wide communal farming in Iraq.

In a broadcast heard here Bagdad radio said the National Peasant Farmers' Organisation and its regional groups "are corporate bodies which enjoy rights of proprietorship and contracting."

The Council of State approved establishment of the General Federation of Peasants, the broadcast said. All Iraqi "peasants" over the age of 25 are entitled to membership in the organisation.

DETAILS SOON
The General Federation is a professional peasant organisation, the purpose of which is to safeguard the Iraqi republic and its democratic regime, raise the social and economic standards of peasants, and protect their interests, the radio said.

The broadcast did not state whether the federation would definitely be given control of Iraq farm land. However, the Iraqi radio station said details of the federation and its powers would be published soon. Bagdad radio said the federation "may represent their interests before organisations and persons and official and semi-official departments." The peasants' group will also be able to hold public meetings and publish newspapers.

The announcement apparently marked the first major step of Premier Abdul Karim Kassim's regime in carrying out announced agricultural reforms. — U.P.I.

Boyd-Orr Praises Chinese

London, May 12.

Lord Boyd-Orr, Chairman of the British Council for the Promotion of International Trade, left Peking with his wife for home today after a three-week private visit to China, the New China News Agency reported.

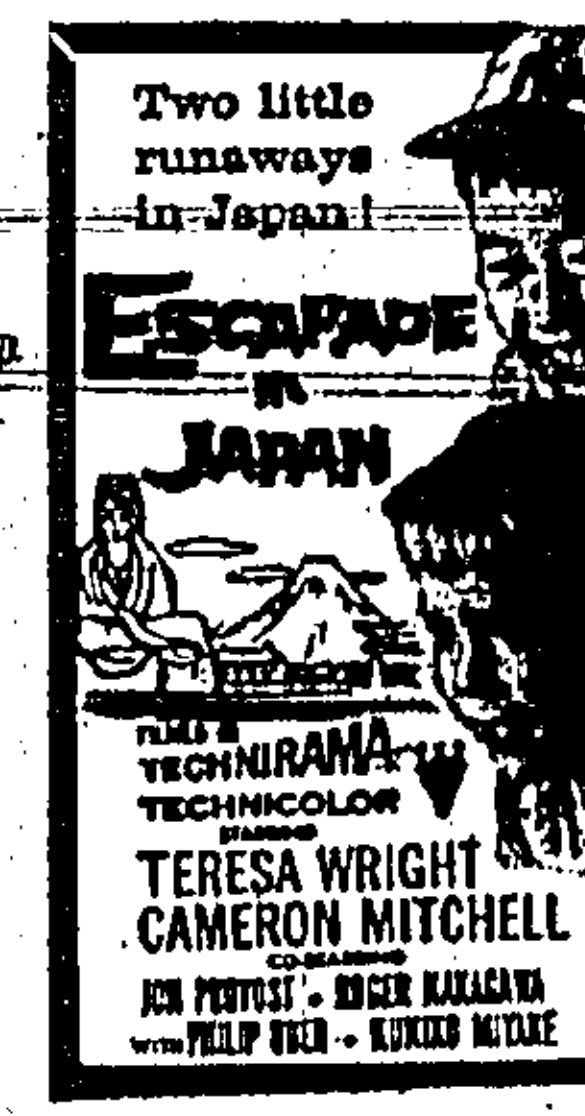
During their stay in Peking and Wuhan, Central China, Lord Boyd-Orr and his wife visited people's communes, factories and schools.

Before leaving, Lord Boyd-Orr praised in a broadcast the achievements of people's communes and China's economic advance, the agency said. — Reuters.

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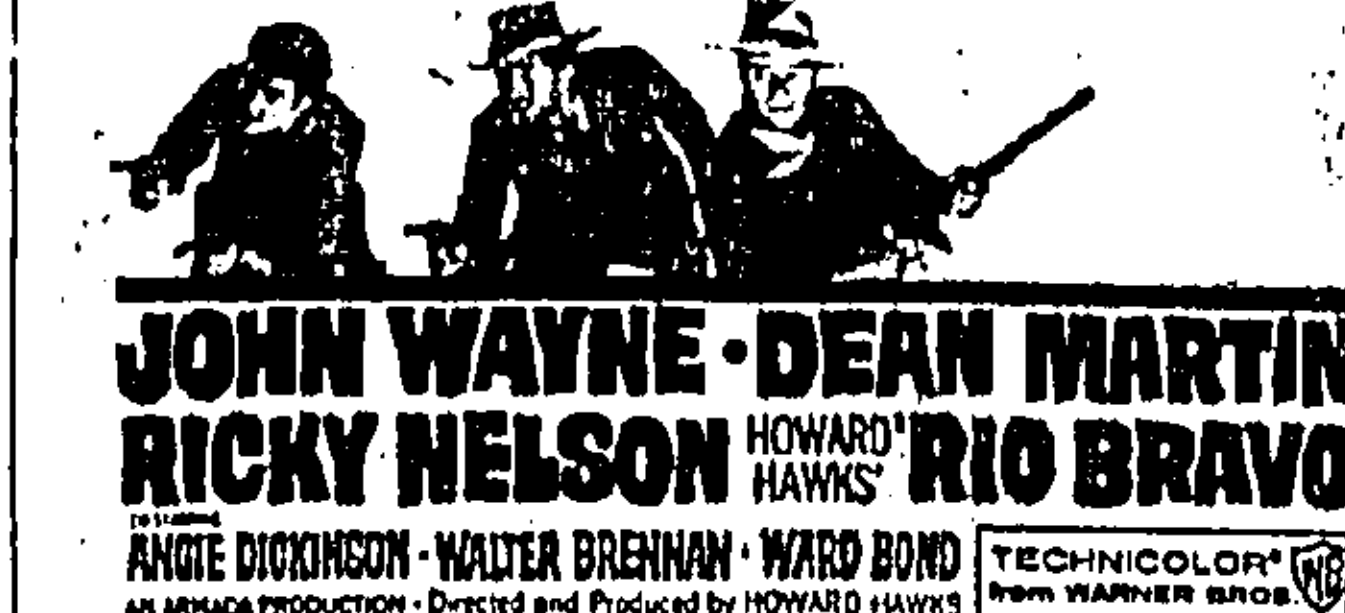
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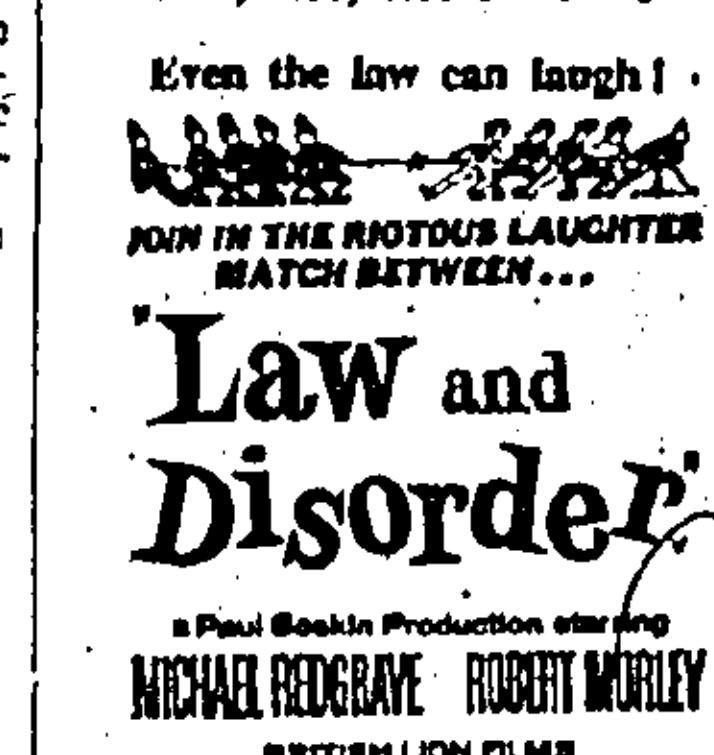
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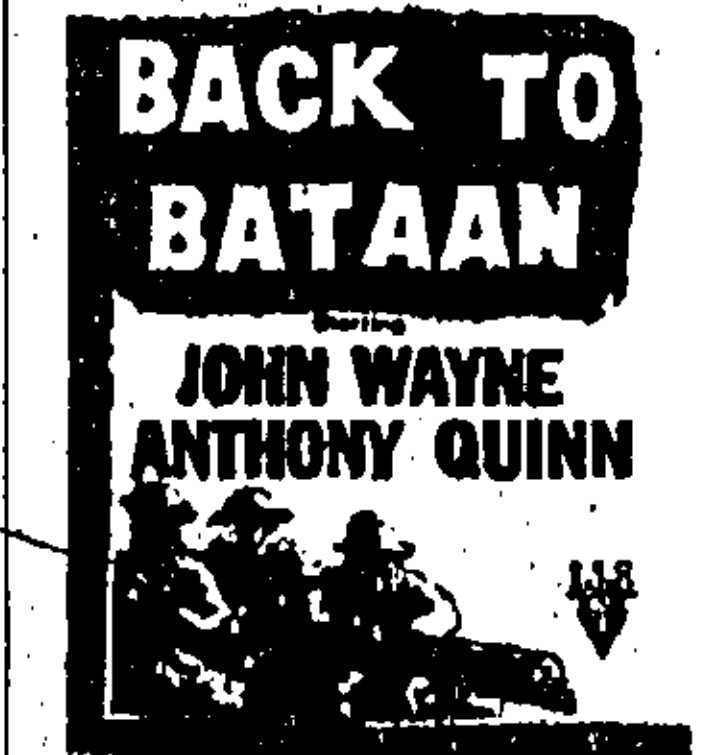
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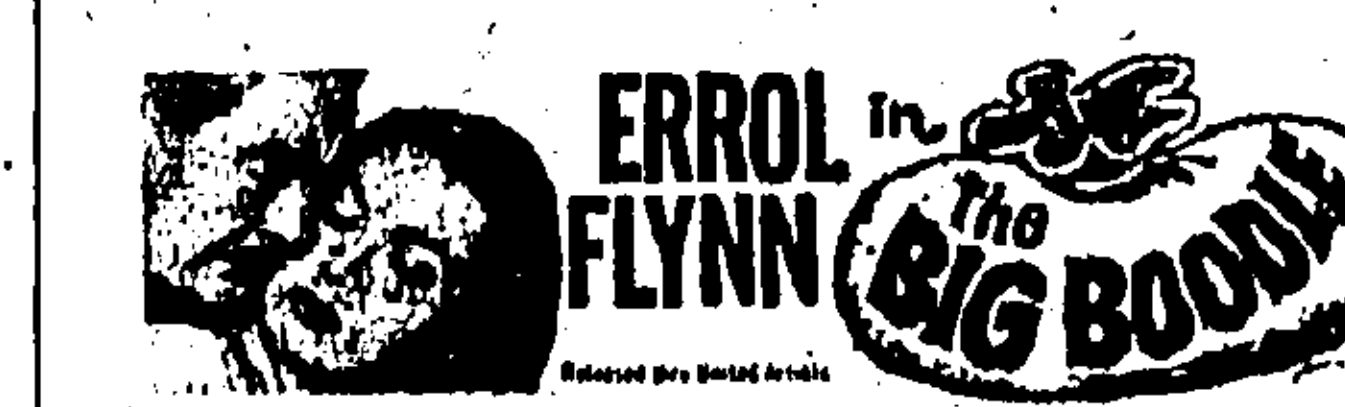


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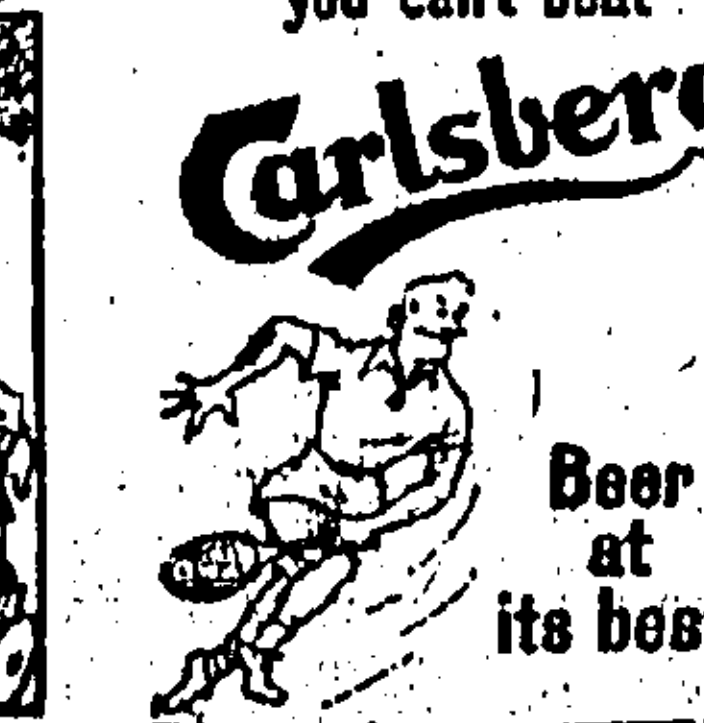
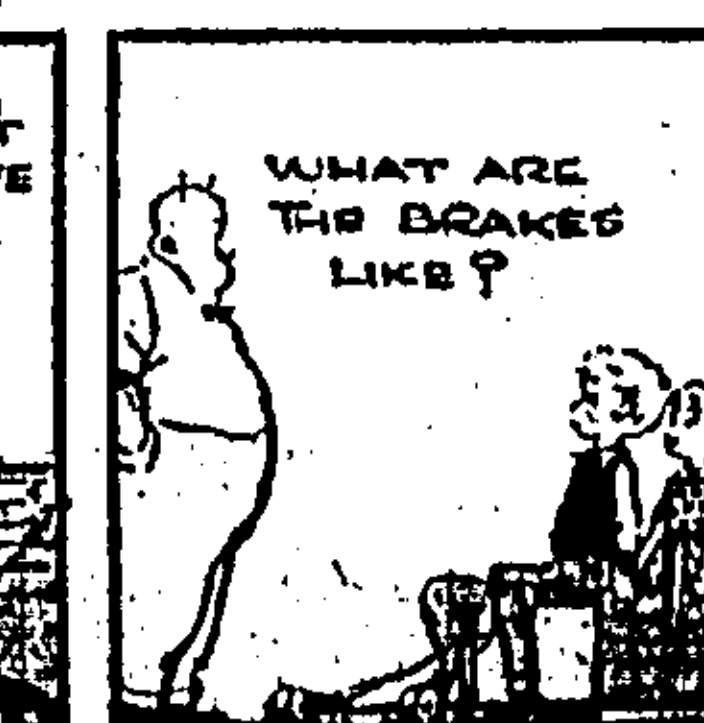
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Prison Riot Ends Without Bloodshed

Fort Pillow, Tenn., May 12. A 14-hour prison riot ended without bloodshed today. Two hostage guards were not harmed.

The convicts staged a noisy, window-smashing demonstration to back up their demands for "justice."

They charged that white prisoners were discriminated against and that the food at the prison was too good.

State Corrections Commissioner Keith Hampton said he would not press charges against the rioters but would transfer the ringleaders to a maximum security prison in Nashville.

He did not consider what they did was a riot, Hampton said.

He led 11 manacled convicts downstairs to the prison office. But throughout the night the rioting men screamed down to the guards that they would kill the guards if their demands were not met. At one point they held a guard to a window with knife at his back.

"Made A Deal"

The prisoners were seen in a waiting room downstairs in the building, white newsmen and photographers grouped around to ask questions and snap pictures.

The prisoners did not talk. They ignored all questions asked.

Hampton was asked what he considered the disturbance was all about.

"I will not elaborate on my statement," Hampton said. He also said he was not going to take good conduct time away from the "instigator," indicating that he had "made a deal" to settle the riot.

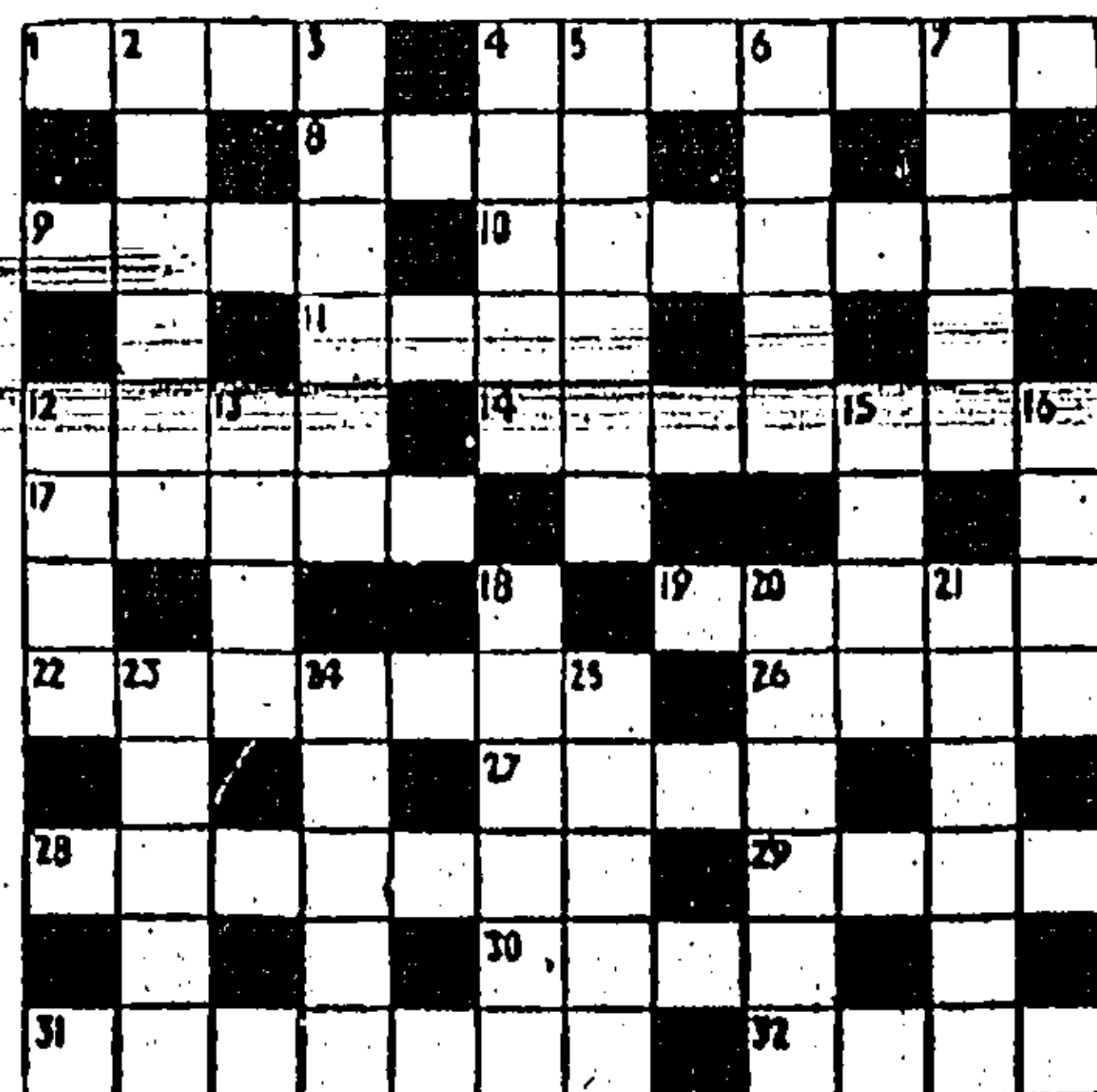
The two guards, Hubert Nymon, 57, and U.S. Voss, 49, were in good condition.—UPI.

Texas Tale

Typar, Texas, May 12. Three men pleaded guilty yesterday to a really tall Texas story — they stole an oil derrick and cut it up with acetylene torches to sell for scrap.

Burnett Fultynow, 18, Luc Travis Fultynow, 20, and Herman Mills, 26, all Neutres, were placed on probation for four years and ordered to pay \$10 a month for 47 months to the derrick's owner.—UPI.

A British Crossword Puzzle



- ACROSS**
1. Retain (4).
 2. Progress (7).
 3. Put cargo in board (4).
 4. Continuous pain (4).
 5. Bill (7).
 6. Hoodwink (4).
 7. Boast (4).
 8. Colouring (7).
 9. Resist authority (5).
 10. Thaw (5).
 11. A little (7).
 12. Jump (4).
 13. Dumb (4).
 14. Like (7).
 15. Competed with (4).
 16. Part of the neck (4).
 17. Bird of prey (7).
 18. Observe (4).
- DOWN**
1. Repeat performance (8).
 2. Soften promise (8).
 3. Modify (5).
 4. Falseness (5).
 5. Approximately (5).
 6. Cleric (5).
 7. Edge (4).
 8. Lying down (4).
 9. Lazy (4).
 10. Struggle for breath (4).
 11. Merciful (8).
 12. Numerical (8).
 13. Special aptitude (8).
 14. Express a view (5).
 15. Fool (5).
 16. Wall decoration (5).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD.—Across: 1. Nectar, 5. Ripe, 8. Refer, 9. Sifted, 10. Commemorate, 11. Melon, 12. Loll, 13. Vista, 15. Aspect, 16. Venter, 20. Glens, 23. Fine, 25. Twain, 26. Eyrie, 28. Carcase, 29. Cream, 30. Pines, 31. Netted. Down: 2. Nestling, 3. Conclave, 4. Arum, 6. Release, 7. Recover, 8. Tropic, 9. Limit, 14. Strident, 18. Answered, 19. Answers, 21. Pollard, 22. Entice, 24. Loyal, 25. Name.

London, May 12. Britain, supported by the United States and the Commonwealth, is entering the space race.

She may put a 1,000 pound satellite in orbit using her Blue Streak and Black Knight rockets to launch it.

This emerged today from a Press conference given by Lord Hallham, Lord President of the Council, Mr. Aubrey Jones, Minister of Supply, and Britain's top rocket scientists.

They were answering questions to expand on an announcement made in the House of Commons earlier by the Prime Minister, Mr. Harold Macmillan.

Mr. Macmillan had said that Britain's entry into the space race will take place immediately. Scientists will begin at once making instruments to be carried in early satellites.

Rockets are being adapted to carry the satellites, Mr. Macmillan said.

The United States has already offered to orbit a 150-pound British satellite. It was announced at the Press conference, and British scientists must now decide whether to accept this offer or go it alone in making an all-Commonwealth satellite.

Lord Hallham would not say which Commonwealth countries were concerned, but said Australia had been "extremely helpful in relation to the Skylark vertical sounding project."

10 Satellites

Lord Hallham said Britain is thinking in terms of up to 10 satellites in all.

There is no intention of making a moon-probe or putting any kind of animals in the satellites.

They will carry instruments to "measure things above the earth and its atmosphere, the sun and its radiation, and numerous miscellaneous rays and radio activities, ultra-violet rays and other things which require a new programme of extra-atmospheric astronomy."

Lord Hallham said it had not been decided what vehicle to use to put a British satellite in orbit, but Mr. W.H. Stevens, Director-General of Ballistic Missiles, said with a combination of Blue Streak, Black Knight "and whatever seemed necessary" they could devise a three-stage rocket carrying a satellite adequate to hold the instruments envisaged.

Mr. Jones said the American satellite weighed about 70 pounds and the Soviet ones 700 to 800 pounds. Britain had in mind 1,000 pounds "if it was decided to launch a satellite of our own, but the weight would depend on the height at which you aimed to put it into orbit."

Lord Hallham said in answer to questions: "This is

not a space travel project at all—not in its conception. It is a project for the measurement of the earth and the sun's radiation and things of that type.

"It is not directly connected with men visiting the moon, still less Mars. It has nothing to do with a manned orbital vehicle. We are not concerned with military applications in this field at all."

Lord Hallham confirmed Mr. Macmillan's figure that Britain would spend "hundreds of thousands of pounds" rather than millions "but would not be more specific."

This would be spent on preparing special instruments to make measurements in outer space and on designing modified rockets to shoot them into orbit.—Reuters.

MARGARET TO BE GUARDED IN SCOTLAND

Glasgow, May 12. Police and plainclothes detectives will patrol the grounds of a country house near here all night tonight while Princess Margaret is a guest there.

These stringent precautions follow reports from Balmoral, the royal family's summer home in the Scottish Highlands, that additional fencing and camouflage netting is being put up to keep trippers from peering in at the grounds.

But Superintendent Robert Donaldson, the local police chief, said today that the all-night guard at Ardgowan House, home of Sir Guy Shaw-Stewart, the Lord Lieutenant, was "nothing special."

"The Princess' overnight visit here, in between engagements in Glasgow and Ayr, is purely private," he said.

"We have all kinds of people here at this time of the year—garavanners, trippers, even Sassanachs—we just want to avoid any possible incident."—China Mail Special.

Actress To Show Cause

Santa Monica, Calif., May 12. Actress Pier Angeli will be held in contempt of court for leaving the country with her son, Perry, 3, last April 14 unless she appears in Superior Court here on May 29.

Superior Judge Allen T. Lynch issued the show-cause order yesterday, when singer Vic Damone requested his former wife be held in contempt.

Damone claimed Miss Angeli took their son out of the country in defiance of court orders without his permission. She is believed to be staying in Italy.—UPI.

Sukarno In Italy

Rome, May 12. The Indonesian President, Dr. Sukarno, arrived here today for an official call on Pope John XXIII and a private visit to Italy.

Dr. Sukarno, who will stay four days in Rome, was greeted at the airport by the Indonesian Ambassador to Rome, Mr. Abu Hanifah, and the Ambassador to the Holy See, Mr. Bambang Sugeng.

Also there were Msgr. Angelo Dellacqua, Deputy Secretary of State for the Vatican, and Mr. Carlo Russo, Under-Secretary of State to the Italian Presidency.—UPI.

● The Miracle Of Sukarno, P.8.

Bees Took Over

San Francisco, May 12. It took Mrs. Linda Deparlin two hours to get into her car for a quick trip to town yesterday.

Burning newspapers, a garden hose and a broom finally persuaded the swarm of bees to abandon her car.—UPI.

"Nurses Are Live Bombs"

London, May 13. Nurses' uniforms made of nylon, terylene and acetate rayon generate static electricity and could cause explosions in operating theatres, the British Health Ministry was warned today.

A report presented by a standing Nursing Advisory Committee and published today recommended that these materials should not in their present state of development be used for uniforms.

The committee, of 14 men and women, including ten nurses, also said the materials needed more careful laundering than other materials.

They recommended an indoor uniform for nurses of one-third viscose rayon and two-thirds cotton.

"Very Sweeping"

The British Nylon Spinners Company in a statement issued simultaneously with the report said that the committee's observations were "very sweeping" and that though nylon could build up static electricity it was in any normal atmosphere completely harmless.

"Under certain very rare conditions such as those which might prevail in operating theatres where anaesthetists are using highly inflammable vapours this static electricity might cause a spark which could explode any leakage of these vapours," the company stated.

"Nylon is not recommended therefore for the special clothing worn in operating theatres but this is no reason why it should not be used elsewhere in hospitals."—China Mail Special.

NO EVIDENCE OF VIOLATION

Washington, May 12. The U.S. Tariff Commission today dismissed 12 Japanese sewing machine manufacturers, four exporters and two importers from its hearing on Singer Sewing Machine Company's patent violation and unfair trade practices complaints.

The commission held that Singer had produced no evidence that these companies produced, exported or imported machines containing a built-in automatic zigzag feature similar to the Singer patent.

Five Japanese manufacturers and four exporters, including some of the biggest, remain in the case, accused by Singer of pirating its patent on this increasingly popular feature.

The American company is asking for a ban on imports of all sewing machines which are found illegally to employ the patented device.—UPI.

Astaire Gives Back TV Award



Hollywood, May 12. Dancing star Fred Astaire today requested that the Television Academy take back the "best actor" award voted him by members because he feels they misunderstood the title of his performance category.

Astaire's agent, Bernie Kamins, said the dancer had asked permission to return the award, one of nine he received for his 1958 show, "An Evening with Fred Astaire."

"He feels that — due to a misunderstanding of the title of this particular category, tilted best performance by an actor — a confusion and controversy has arisen and he can see the point in question," Kamins said.

"With all respectful appreciation to those who so kindly voted for him in this category, he feels that this is the right thing to do, as he does not wish to see the values of the Television Academy awards impaired in any way whatsoever."—UPI.

Wrong Ring

Fulton, N.Y., May 12. Eugene Crumpton, 18, was sentenced to 60 days in jail last night shortly after giving his girl an engagement ring.

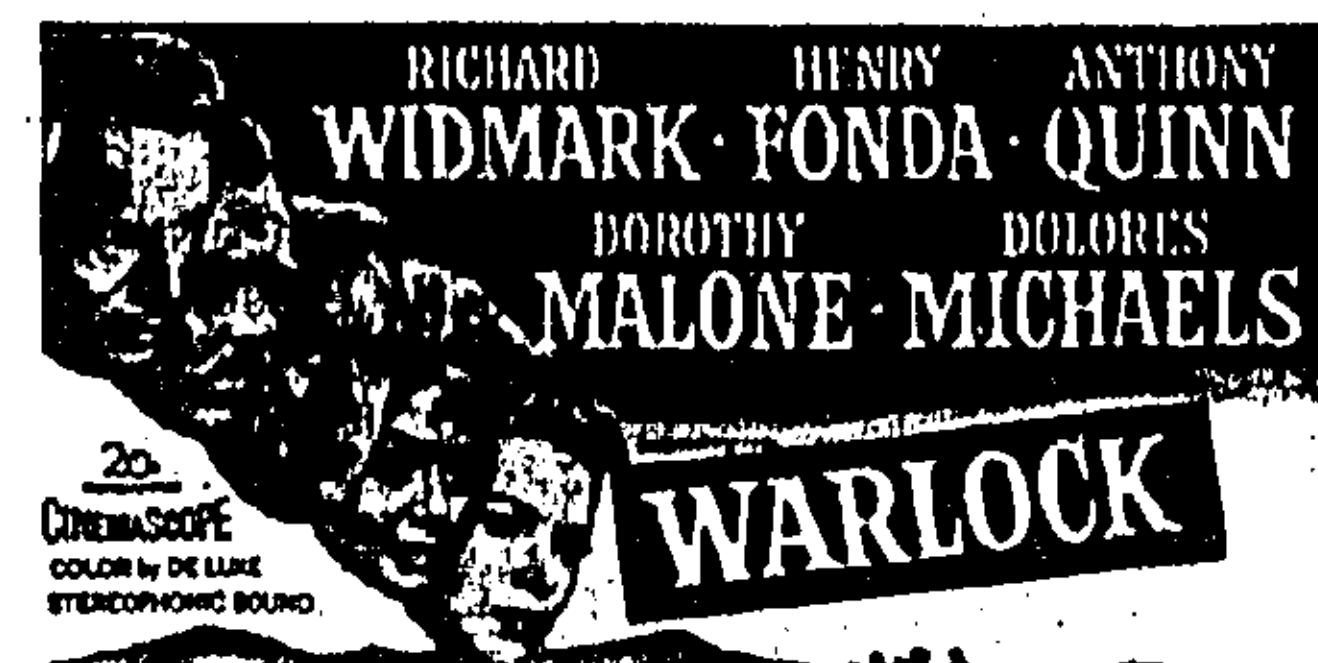
Police said Crumpton admitted stealing the ring from the girl's grandmother.—UPI.

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NEWS FROM BRITAIN

Last Minute Pleas
Could Not Save Him

London.
AT nine o'clock one morning last week, while London's work-bound crowds were streaming through the Spring sunshine, Ronald Henry Marwood walked his last steps on earth, from the condemned cell to the execution shed in Pentonville Prison.

Petitions, appeals, last minute pleas had failed and Marwood was paying the penalty demanded by the law of England for having stabbed a policeman to death.

As usually happens when a man is to be hanged, a crowd had gathered outside the prison gates. Some were there out of morbid curiosity to gaze at the blank walls behind which, as the clock struck nine, a man would die by the legally prescribed method.

The other people in the crowd were demonstrators. They had come to the grim fortress in a shabby London area to protest against the whole business of capital punishment.

In the mean streets, the atmosphere was explosive. Then a man swore at the stolid police posted to keep order. The police grabbed him and hustled him, kicking and punching, into the cordoned-off approach to the prison.

That was all that was needed to turn the crowd into a mob. Hissing and screaming their hysterical hate, they surged towards the police barriers outside the prison, to be driven back by mounted police.

Police reinforcements rushed to the scene. But they were hardly needed. Above the shouting and cursing a clock tolled out nine, the crowd fell silent.

In the hot silence of that grimy street a man's voice rang out: "God rest his soul."

Of the nine executions carried out since the Homicide Act of 1957 (it limited the sorts of killing for which a man might be hanged) I have told you of this one because never before have I heard so much questioning of capital punishment.

The scale of the disturbance outside Pentonville Prison is, I believe, some measure of that. Ronald Henry Marwood had stabbed an unarmed policeman, who courageously was trying to break up a street fight, and had left him to bleed to death on the pavement.

A jury of his fellow-citizens had found him guilty, and the law, enacted by the elected representatives of the people, had taken its determined course.

And yet never in such a case have I heard the principle of capital punishment brought into question so widely.

Right Country, Wrong Tune

The Italian soccer team which played England at Wembley seemed to have little sense of occasion. They grinned as the military band of the crack Green Jackets Brigade pounded out the Italian national anthem.

The Englishmen would have been grinning too, had they known that what the bandmen were playing was the anthem of the old monarchist regime.

The explanation later given to the Italian Embassy — and graciously accepted — was that the Green Jackets Brigade were serving overseas when the Italian entry in the official band parts of "National Anthems of All Nations" was brought up-to-date.

Artistically-minded colleagues assure me that green jackets and red faces match nicely.

In Mercy's Name

From death in the course of justice to death in the name of mercy.

The whole vexing question of euthanasia was flushed once more into the open recently when a Leicester doctor told a Rotary Club gathering that he had once given a lethal drug to a dying patient.

On the heels of this admission came a statement from 47-year-old pathologist Dr Charles K. McDonald, chairman of the Euthanasia Society, that he have personally given drugs which I knew would shorten life to patients dying in intolerable pain. This is nothing exceptional—I think there must be very few doctors who have not done the same sort of thing.

For all that, I am one hundred per cent certain that the government of Britain will never in the foreseeable future legislate for euthanasia.

Moral considerations apart—and they are many and strong—there could be no guarantee that the motive in every death perpetrated in the name of euthanasia would be mercy.

Osborne And The Press

Seldom has any theatrical production taken such a paning as was administered last week to Golden Boy John Osborne's excursion into musical comedy.

The show was called "The World of Paul Silecky" and had as its central character "hero" a certainly not the worst, an admirable newspaper columnist. The fact that the most widely read chronicler of the gloss and glitter set are the Daily Express, William Hickey and Daily Mail's Paul Tanfield escaped few.

But the hammering handed out by the critics was in no way revenge for Osborne's poke at Fleet Street.

The critic of The Times which has no cause to leap to the defence of popular columnists, wrote of the show's "extraordinary dullness" and commented: "They say that when 'The World of Paul Silecky' was put on at Bourne-

By PETER BURGOYNE

mouth (a pre-London try-out) some people walked out and others slept. Now that it has come to the Palace Theatre both things are easy to believe."

Critic Milton Shulman of the Evening Standard observed that the first night audience "seemed to be about equally divided between those who loathed it and those who hated it audibly."

Osborne's summing-up of the critics' reception was typical: "I have had the worst notices since Judas Iscariot."

The bad notices can have been no surprise to Osborne. For not only was the performance booby, but some angry theatregoers stayed behind afterwards to jeer at Osborne as he left the theatre.

—(London Express Service).

I see for myself

Cocktails For The Stationmaster

by ANNE SHARPLEY

COUNTRY railway stations have always seemed to me to have the best of both worlds. Rural quiet and ample means of escape. We were standing in the middle of the track at Godstone and for two and a half miles in each direction the steels stretched with a brave, bright disregard of dazzling woods and green, inviting fields.

"Terrific, isn't it?" said the lord of all that surveyed steel. "Look down the tunnel. It's 1,327 yards long but you can see the daylight at the other end."

Remotely, as through a sooty gun-barrel, one could indeed catch the sunlight at the other end of the tunnel.

Well now, if all that shining track is your responsibility and you're not 23 until July, and British Railways have just cut out the youngest station-master that ever mastered a station in these isles, and you've got three hats with the golden words station-master embroidered on them—life is bound to seem pretty good.

Your enthusiasm is sure to make your station seem a little brighter, the trains a little more punctual.

DEBONAIR

So it was with Mr Conrad Clark. And when trains pull into Godstone station, his new shoes passengers see the platform, his hand gloves, his new shoes.

Nor is that all. For if you look beyond the neat, brick square of the station building you will see a small house, of that intermediate size between a cottage and a country residence, settled comfortably in a fruitful acre of orchard and lawn. The station-master's house.

"Come and fight your way through the jungle," invites Mr Clark, opening his garden gate. He has the debonair, throwaway air and the half-frame spectacles of a young executive who knows he's brighter than his job. And he is a bachelor.

"I chose the wallpaper myself," he says, "swinging towards a printed room of primroses. The carpet is going to be red. I'm getting a three-piece suite, a cocktail cabinet, some coffee tables and TV chairs. And a dining-table with six chairs."

BIG MOMENT

Hire purchase? Not this young man. "I've paid for it all straight off. It's one of my principles."

Then how? "I've saved. I started as a clerk in the railway straight from school when I was 15."

"Lovely view of the station from here, isn't it?"

It was a lovely view but I rather think he meant he could keep an eye on it all the time from every room in the house.

We had returned to the station for its big moment. The Birkenhead Express. It roars through Godstone disregarding

A Bernard Harris INVESTIGATION

The caller who offered
to set me
up for life...

AT 8.15 p.m. the doorbell rang. I knew who the caller was. He had come to my home by appointment. He had come to show me how to obtain "lifetime financial independence" by building my own "large and profitable business."

He was going to tell me how, starting with a few hours a week of "pleasant, part-time work," I could enjoy an "excellent income" for the rest of my days.

Those were the attractions which had been dangled before me in a letter from the Master Vending Machine Company Limited, which has a factory in north-west London and describes itself as "the

largest organisation of its kind in the world."

With the letter was a card inviting me to apply for further details "with absolutely no obligation."

I applied. Back came another letter. It said, "We are gratified to learn of your interest."

But the details? Those, said the firm, could be conveyed only "by means of a personal discussion." So one of its staff of interviewers would telephone me to fix an appointment.

And now that was his shadow I could see through the frosted panes of the front door.

He proved to be a man of early middle age, carrying a building briefcase. He had a breezy manner. He spoke pleasantly, reassuringly.

Apparently satisfied with my answers, he drew a photo album from his case.

That, he said, showing me one of the pictures, is a bubble-gum machine. This one—indicating another glossy photograph—is for the ladies. It sprays them with scent when they put in a coin. Here's another which sells greetings cards.

"That's the sort of thing we have been making," he went on. "But the market in them is pretty well saturated. I am going to offer you something much better."

And he turned to another picture showing a simple little cabinet.

"What is it?" I asked. "A coin-operated cigarette machine," he said. "Do you smoke? Don't you know how awkward it is when you run out of cigarettes?"

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"But how is it going to make me financially independent for life?" I inquired.

"Simple," he said. "I am personally convinced of the soundness of the scheme which I am now going to outline to you."

From his case he drew a typewritten sheet headed "The Master Home Cigarette Cabinet Potential Profit Analysis."

"Look," he said, as his stubby finger sought the figures. "You buy 50 machines from us at £9 each. That's an investment of £450."

"You fill each machine with 30 packets selling at 1s. 11½d., which brings you £2 13s. 9d. You make a profit of about 2½d. a packet, as we sell the cigarettes to you wholesale for £2 13s. 7d."

"So if your friends buy 20 cigarettes a day from each machine you make a weekly profit of just over £5, or £314 a year. If the sales are 30 a day you make over £9 a week—or £472 a year."

"A profit of £472 on an investment of £450 is more than 100 per cent a year," I said. "Sounds awfully good, doesn't it?"

"YOUR JOB"

The interviewer brightened at my enthusiasm. "It's really splendid," he said. "I don't know where you could possibly equal it."

"But where am I going to find 50 people willing to install one of these machines in their homes?" I asked. "I suppose you provide the sites?"

"Oh, no. That's your job. You find the customers and spend a few hours a week going round to collect the money and keep the machines filled."

"But we shall help you. We provide you with a letter to send out to likely prospects in the area you choose."

From the briefcase he drew a copy of the letter. I noticed it started, "Dear Friend."

"You may not think much of the way it's written," he said,

"But it does the country. It would require much capital."

"Capital wouldn't be any problem," I said. "If 100 per cent could be earned so easily."

"But what about yourself? You're a sensible fellow. Why do you travel hundreds of miles a week in that little car of yours trying to persuade folk like me to become 'operators' when you could sit comfortably at home and run your own chain of cigarette machines?"

"Don't you also want to make yourself financially independent for life?"

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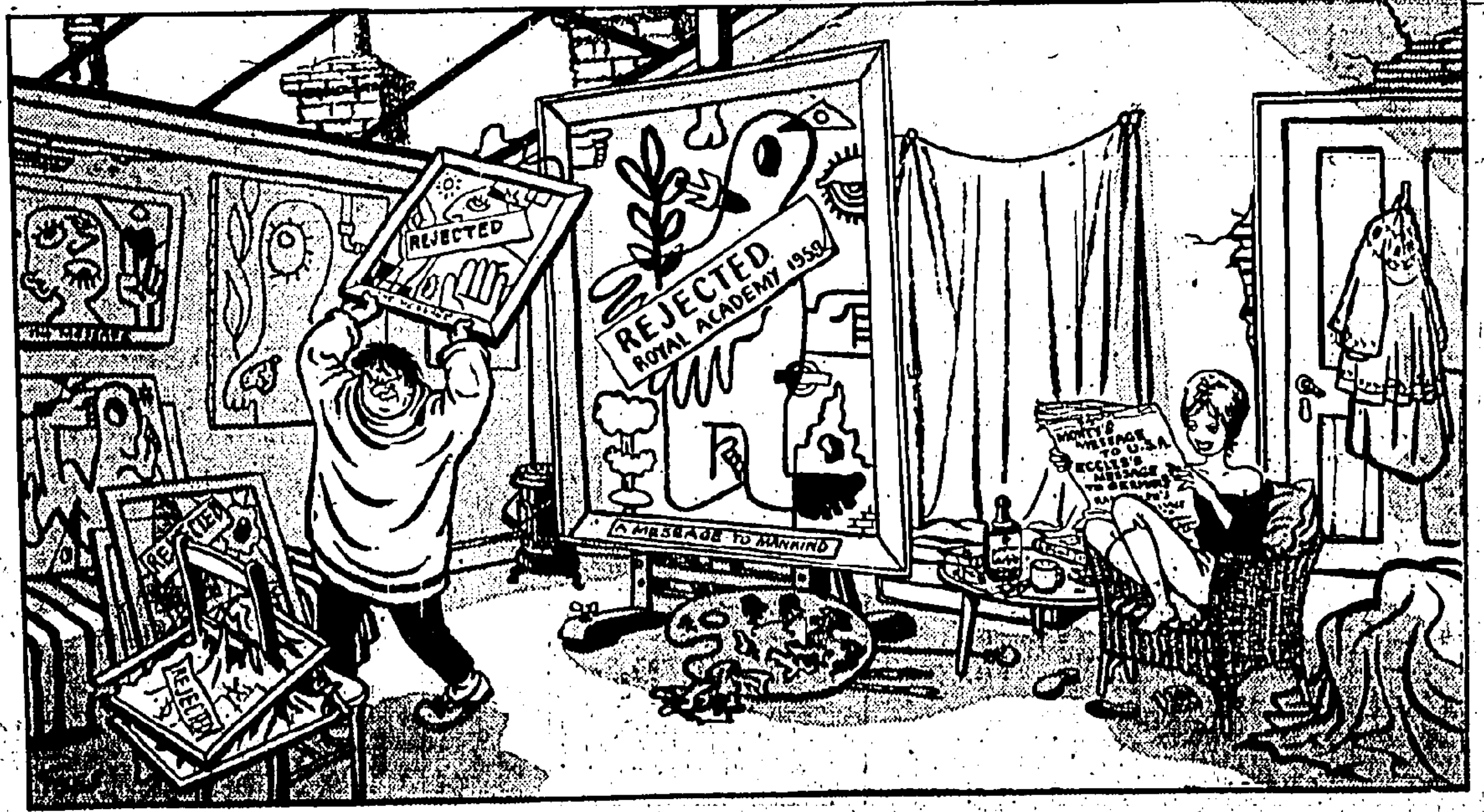
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YOUR BIRTHDAY ... By STELLA

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

BORN today, you have exceptional latent talents waiting to be developed. You, more than any, can be masters of your own destiny, for what you are will depend greatly upon the effort you are willing to put into your career. Your natural talents will always give you a comfortable living without too much effort, but to become outstanding, you will have to call upon your determination and will power.

You have a romantic, emotional and affectionate nature. You of the fair sex will be especially attractive and have countless admirers. In fact, you may have difficulty in selecting one. You will be well advised not to wed at too early an age, for you might mistake infatuation for true love. Select someone on your intellectual

level or you cannot be completely happy. It is likely that you will be happiest in one of the creative arts as a life work. You become bored with routine of any kind, and a repetitive job would be unbearable for you. Better for you to be your own boss and then you can work when, as they say, "the spirit moves."

Among those born on this date are: Daphne du Maurier, author; Sir Arthur Sullivan, composer and conductor; James Tyler Ames, arms manufacturer; D. G. Brinlon, anthropologist and surgeon. To find what the stars have in store for you tomorrow, select your birthday star and read the corresponding paragraph. Let your birthday star be your daily guide.

THURSDAY, MAY 14

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21)—A day of high tensions, so remain collected and calm in the midst of turmoil. Evening is better.

GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—If you are bored with things, think up something new and exciting. A change of pace is always good.

CANCER (June 22-July 23)—Business and property investments should prosper now. If you handle details astutely.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)—Cash in on past efforts now. Not exactly the right day to start anything new. Wait a while.

VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23)—Hold to familiar routine for the best possible results today. Not the time for experimenting.

LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—Be alert to the good fortune the stars are planning to drop into your lap this day!

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)—If you put forth a little extra effort today, your good fortune can be outstanding.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)—Exceptional gains for you are on the books. Take a short trip on business to clarify a deal.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—Today and tomorrow are key days in the month for you. Manage your affairs wisely and you advance.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)—Deal with co-workers or business partners and gain an advantage. Know what you want and get it.

PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)—Now is the time to advance plans already made but waiting for the right moment.

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)—Act on important matters. You can afford a calculated risk if the potential gains are high.

JACOBY on BRIDGE

THIS hand was actually played a year ago. Take a look at the North and South hands only. Study the bidding and plan your play.

South did just that and took quite a while to see that his best chance was to win the opening heart lead, lay down the ace of spades and go after the diamonds. This play would work, gaining many heart-diamond combinations including the actual East-West holdings but see what happened.

The ace of trumps was played and Sally Johnson of Westport, Conn., who sat West dropped the king. Now South changed his plans. He was going to

NORTH		EAST	
♠	AK1054	♠	87
♥	A54	♥	J10976
♦	AKQJ100	♦	864
♣	None	♣	862

WEST (D)		SOUTH	
♠	KJ	♠	Q832
♥	KQ3	♥	82
♦	72	♦	83
♣	AQ9753	♣	KJ104

Both vulnerable.

West	North	East	South
♠	2	Pass	2
♥	3	Pass	3 N.T.
♦	6	Pass	Pass

Opening lead—♥K

♥+CARD Sense♦♦

Q—The bidding has been:
East South West North
3♥ Pass Pass Double
Pass ?
You South, hold:
♠A54 ♥KJ ♦A854 ♣KQ3
What do you do?
A—Bid three no-trump. This is an excellent bid but you can find a better action.

TODAY'S QUESTION
West passes and your partner bids four hearts. What do you do now?
Answer Tomorrow

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THEY'RE WEARING BIKINIS AGAIN



PICTURE BY NORMAN EALES

By JANE BACON

CRISP, checked gingham is making a come-back this year. Best remembered by one-time schoolgirls as summer uniform it now crops up much more dashing as beachwear. Superbly tailored in France, the colours are sharp and clear, wonderful against a summer tan and more flattering in Mediterranean sunshine than smudgy prints.

The girl on the left chooses a minute bikini in tangerine gingham, the top boned, the bottom lined with poplin. The girl on the right wears a cool gingham overall, gathered into a drawstring on the hips, that settles down over brief matching shorts. Cut to the minimum they have a comfortable elasticised waistband.—London Express Service.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Policeman Knows A Lot

—He Tells The Shadow Boy About The Four Winds—

By MAX TRELL

It was a cold, blustery day. Knarf, the Shadow Boy with the turned-about valves, ran up to the corner, racing the Wind. He was about to run back again when he met Policeman.

"Hello, Policeman," said Knarf. "Hello, Knarf," said Policeman. "I was just racing the Wind," said Knarf. "Did you ever race the Wind, Policeman?"

All The Way

"Yes," said Policeman. "I once raced the North Wind all the way down to the South Pole. And I once raced the South Wind all the way up to the North Pole." "Who won?" asked Knarf. "I did," said the Policeman. "The Wind just blew away and disappeared, but I kept running." "Did you ever see the Wind, Policeman?" asked Knarf. "The Policeman shook his head. "No one can see the Wind," he said. "It just blows by." "Can birds see the Wind?" asked Knarf.

Ride On It

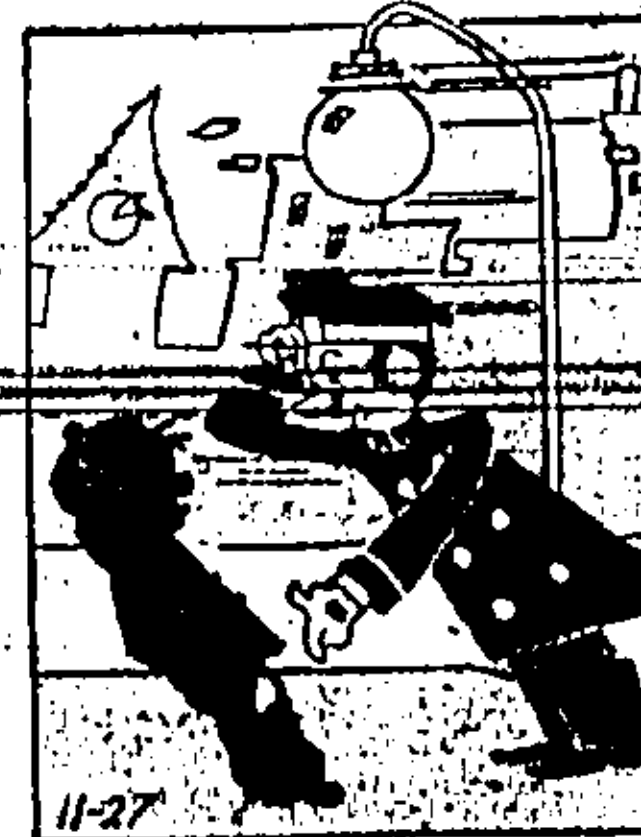
"I don't think so," said Policeman. "But they can ride on it. I've often seen Sea Gulls sitting on top of the Wind with their wings spread out. They hardly move their wings. The Wind just carries them along." "How can you tell the names of the Wind?" asked Knarf. "That's easy," said Policeman. "The North Wind blows

from the North, the South Wind blows from the South, the East Wind blows from the East and the West Wind blows from the West." "Once upon a time, the Four Winds used to do a lot of work," said Knarf. "What kind of work did the Four Winds do?" asked the Policeman. "They used to blow windmills," said the Policeman.

Round And Round

"The arms of the windmills would turn round and round. And when the arms of the windmills turned round and round, they made wheels inside the windmills turn round and round. These wheels ground corn, oats and wheat into flour." "And aren't there any windmills any more?" asked Knarf. "Not very many," answered the Policeman. "Corn, wheat and oats are ground into flour by machines that are made to go by steam and by electricity. The Wind doesn't help to grind flour any more." "What other work did the Four Winds do?" asked Knarf. "They used to make ships sail across the Seven Seas," said Policeman. "How did they do that?" asked Knarf.

"The ships had sails," said Policeman. "The North Wind and the South Wind and the East Wind and the West Wind all blew at different times. They blew against the sails and drove the ships South and North and West and East. The Winds drove the sailing ships to all the countries in the world."



"Did you ever race the Wind?" Knarf asked Policeman.

"And don't the Four Winds blow ships any more?" "No," said Policeman. "There are very few sailing ships sailing the Seas today. Most of the ships are steamships. They haven't got sails. They've got propellers. Steamships go without having to wait for the Wind to blow them North, South, East or West."

"Don't the Four Winds do any work any more, Policeman?" asked Knarf. "Oh yes," said Policeman. "They blow kites up into the air. They blow leaves down from the trees."

Just then the Wind came along and blew off the Policeman's hat. He went chasing down the street after it. "They do that, too," said Knarf to himself. Then he turned and ran all the way home. He ran straight into the Wind, but he couldn't see it. He knew it was the North Wind because it was coming straight from the North. "Hello, North Wind," said Knarf. "But all the Wind said was: 'Who-o-o-o.'"

LITTLE Red Riding Hood

wasn't the last girl to have trouble with a wolf.

"Every bikini-clad lass—unless she is obviously married or a downright gargoyle—who steps onto a beach is likely to find herself having to cope with the human variant."

How you feel about them is entirely your business. But I strongly recommend that every young woman should first study and digest the Dalrymple Wolf Recognition Guide.

There are only a handful of basic wolf types, and once you can recognise them you can usually spot their variants.

THE ADONIS

The most easily-recognisable and the least menacing is the ADONIS. Tanned and muscular, this type relies solely on his physique and striking good looks for feminine adoration. He deserves—and gets—the dumb-belles. His weakness as a wolf lies in the fact that he is so immersed in himself that he has neither time nor inclination to be a real menace.

THE SLICKER

Another easy-to-handle type is the SLICKER. Flattery is often deliberately left-handed, but flattery for all that—is his stock-in-trade. Frequently found at Continental resorts, the Slicker, for all his smooth tongue, usually isn't very bright. His line of patter is so artificial that you have only to put him off his stride—a cold stare will do—and he disintegrates.

THE INTELLECTUAL

A tougher proposition is the INTELLECTUAL. In fact, he's about as intellectual as a jukebox. But unless you're very careful you might fall for that "as an intelligent modern

By Kate Dalrymple

woman you must realise... line. What he wants you to realise "as an intelligent modern woman" is usually exactly what Ma has been warning you against. You can cope with this type by playing him at his own game. Bone up beforehand on a simple guide to elementary philosophy—there are lots of suitable paperbacks about—and keep him talking.

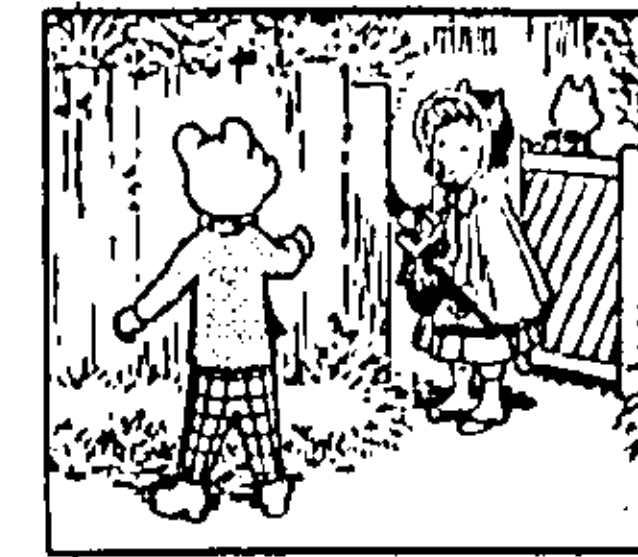
THE ROMANTIC

One of the easiest types of all to master is the ROMANTIC. This chum is readily identified by his tendency to breathe deeply at close quarters, look burning from under lowered eyelids and quote poetry. No counteraction is easier—just giggle at intervals.

The most dangerous type of all is the LITTLE BOY LOST. This type is a thinker. He's worked out for himself that your weakest spot is your maternal instinct. None of the approved counters works with him. All he does is turn those great big sad eyes on you and you feel a heel. I can advise only this: If you come across a Little Boy Lost, let him stay that way—lost.

But there's one piece of advice which applies to all the wolf types you encounter. Find out right at the start what his job is. A handsome, smooth-talking, intellectual, romantic little-boy-lost is no menace at all if you know that for most of the year he is an assistant sanitary inspector.

Rupert and the Truant—5

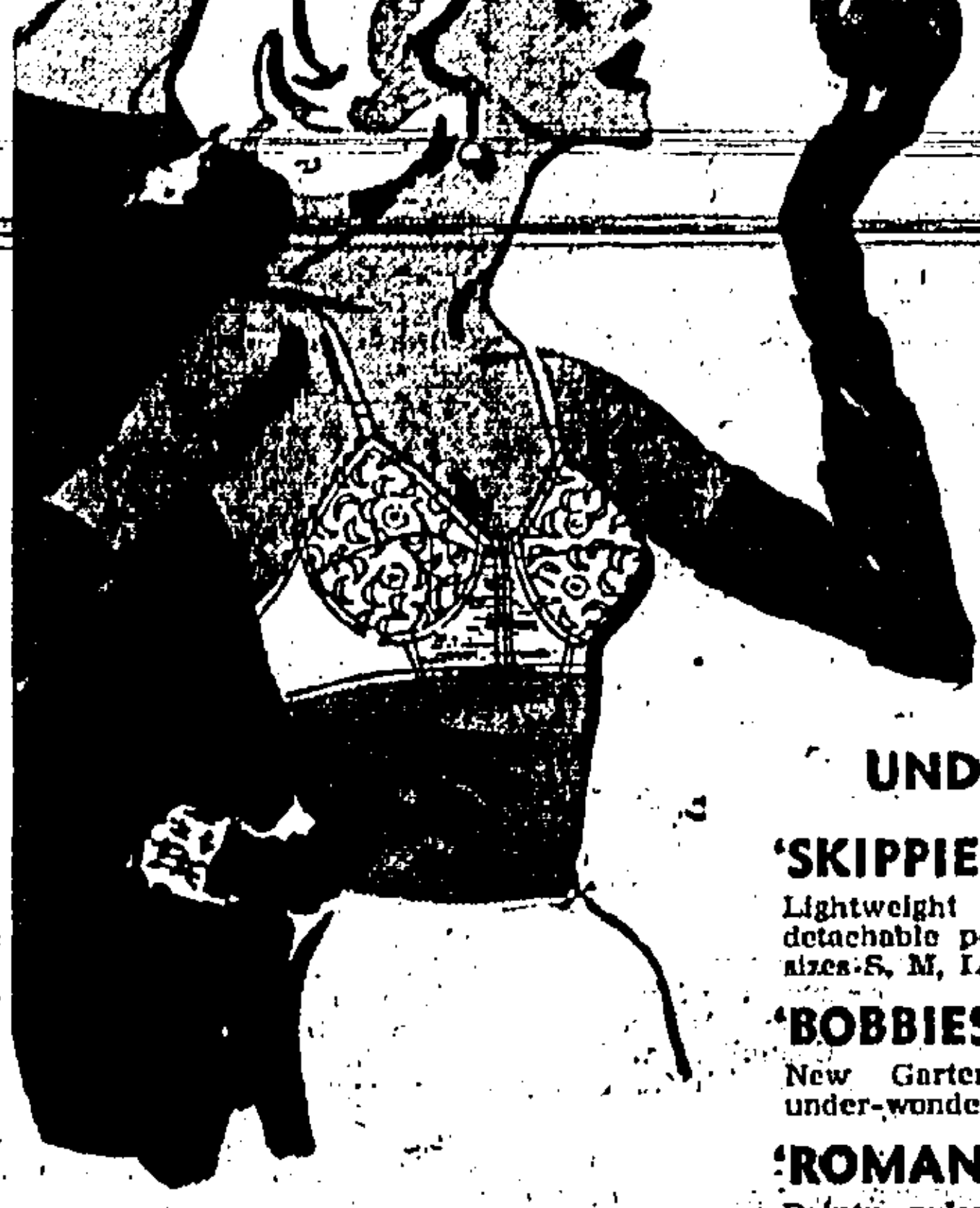


After a while Podgy recovers his breath sufficiently to carry the baggage indoors, and Rosalie turns to Rupert. "Did you ask Podgy if you could come and meet my train?" she asks. "No, not exactly," says Rupert. "I was posting a letter to Santa Claus, and ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

he came along, so I joined him." To his surprise Rosalie turns quickly and runs indoors. He starts for home and has gone most of the way when there is a noise behind him and out of the sunset Rosalie appears calling for him to stop.

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Shock Defeat For Surrey

Warwickshire Beat Clock And Champions In Benefit Match

London, May 12. A six into the members' stand by 37-year-old Alan Townsend today brought a fitting finale to Bert Wolton's benefit match at Edgbaston, where Warwickshire beat the clock and the champions, Surrey, with bright and attractive cricket.

It was Warwickshire's first win over the champions since 1955 and a shock in their first county match this season for Surrey who are bidding for their eighth consecutive championship.

From a batting point of view the match had everything. Set to score 224 to win in 135 minutes, Warwickshire reached their objective with 14 minutes to spare.

This was due largely to a fine innings by Norman Horner, run out for 88 after two hours, and Tom Cartwright, whose minutes included two glorious on-driven sixes off Jim Laker, who came in for some heavy punishment.

First Hat-Trick

Earlier, Surrey's Ken Barrington had for the first time in his career completed two centuries in a match. He followed his 100 of Saturday with 118 not out, he hit 13 fours in two hours 50 minutes. Don Wilson, who succeeded Johnny Wardle as Yorkshire's left-arm spinner last year, performed the first hat-trick of the season against Nottinghamshire.

The 21-year-old bowler was unable to strike a length in his first spell but he switched ends with startling results. The three batsmen he dismissed were all caught.

Exciting Finishes

The most exciting of several thrill-packed finishes today was at Lord's, where Middlesex won by two runs with seven minutes to spare against Kent, who failed narrowly in a spirited bid to make 303 for victory in four hours 20 minutes.

Kent needed 20 in the last 15 minutes of extra time when Colin Page, their last man, joined Alan Brown. The pair took their team to the brink of success before Brown, lashing out at Fred Titmus, played on.

Times took five for 76. Arthur Pheby (83) and Colin Cowdrey (89) were in form for Kent.

Hampshire beat Gloucestershire by two wickets with only four minutes to spare at Bristol.

Despite a brilliant innings by Gloucestershire's tail-enders, David Allen (52) and John Mortimore (45), Hampshire fought back, scoring 140 for eight in 180 minutes. Reuter.

CHESS

by LEONARD BARDEN

Here is a problem by A. M. Sparke (Hampstead Post, 1920). Write to play and mate in two moves.

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Nominate YOUR Hongkong Footballer Of The Year

Members of the public are invited to nominate Hongkong's Footballer of the Year for the current season.

It is a popularity poll organised by the China Mail, and nomination coupons will be accepted until May 15, 1959.

The two qualifications for nomination are:

- (1) Footballing prowess.
- (2) Sportsmanship on the field of play.

Nominations should be addressed to the Editor, China Mail, Wyndham Street.

To the Editor, China Mail, My nomination for Hongkong's Footballer of the Year, taking into account his playing ability and his sportsmanship on the field of play is:

of the.....Club.

(Signed)

Puskas Returns To Real Madrid's Soccer Line-Up

Madrid, May 12. Hungarian ace Ferenc Puskas, dropped from the Real Madrid side for the second leg of the semi-final of the European Champion Clubs Football Cup, returns for Real's third clash with Atletico Madrid at Saragossa tomorrow afternoon.

He replaces Rial, who left the team as on May 7 when Atletico beat Real 1-0 on their ground. Earlier, Real, the holders, had won the opening leg 2-1.

Thousands of Madrid soccer fans have poured into the North Spain town for the match. The referee, as in the previous two clashes, will be British.

If the teams are level at the end of the match an extra half hour will be played. It still level a draw will be made from a hat.

The winners will meet the winners of the semi-final match in Stuttgart next month between Young Boys of Berne and Rheims.—AFP.

Sports Diary

TODAY

Men's 100 Yards: CRC (1) v CRC (2), HKCC v CRC (1), CCC (2) v SCAA (1), USC v Urban C, HKCA v KTCGA, IRC v PRC, PORC v LRC.

Mixed 100 Yards: LRC v CRC, KCC v SCAA.

1st Division: Caroline Hill v Eddie Watson (1), KRC v C (1) 1.5 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Men's 100 Yards: KCC v PRC, USC v Urban C, CRC (2) v RRC, CRC (1) v CCC.

Mixed 100 Yards: CCC v SCAA.

1st Division: Caroline Hill v Eddie Watson (2), KRC v C (2) 1.5 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Men's 100 Yards: KCC v PRC, USC v Urban C, CRC (2) v RRC, CRC (1) v CCC.

Mixed 100 Yards: CCC v SCAA.

1st Division: Caroline Hill v Eddie Watson (3), KRC v C (3) 1.5 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Men's 100 Yards: KCC v PRC, USC v Urban C, CRC (2) v RRC, CRC (1) v CCC.

Mixed 100 Yards: CCC v SCAA.

1st Division: Caroline Hill v Eddie Watson (4), KRC v C (4) 1.5 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Men's 100 Yards: KCC v PRC, USC v Urban C, CRC (2) v RRC, CRC (1) v CCC.

Mixed 100 Yards: CCC v SCAA.

1st Division: Caroline Hill v Eddie Watson (5), KRC v C (5) 1.5 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Men's 100 Yards: KCC v PRC, USC v Urban C, CRC (2) v RRC, CRC (1) v CCC.

Mixed 100 Yards: CCC v SCAA.

1st Division: Caroline Hill v Eddie Watson (6), KRC v C (6) 1.5 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Men's 100 Yards: KCC v PRC, USC v Urban C, CRC (2) v RRC, CRC (1) v CCC.

Mixed 100 Yards: CCC v SCAA.

1st Division: Caroline Hill v Eddie Watson (7), KRC v C (7) 1.5 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Men's 100 Yards: KCC v PRC, USC v Urban C, CRC (2) v RRC, CRC (1) v CCC.

160,000 Petition Against Grand National Hazards

London, May 12. A petition bearing 160,000 signatures asking for modifications to minimise the risk to horses and riders in the Grand National, "Blue Ribband" of British steeplechasing, was presented to Mr R. A. Butler, the Home Secretary, here today.

The presentation was made by representatives of the British Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Horses and the League Against Cruel Sports.

Mr Butler undertook to consider their suggestion in the light of discussions he had been having with other bodies.

In the last Grand National, run at Aintree, Liverpool, in March, only four of the 34 starters completed the four-and-a-half mile course.—China Mail Special.

France Complete Davis Cup Win

Copenhagen, May 12. France completed a 5-0 win over Denmark in their Davis Cup European zone second round match here today.

In today's remaining two singles Jean Noel Grinda beat Kurt Nielsen 3-7, 6-6, 6-0 and Jean Claude Molinari defeated Soeren Hoejgaard 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.—Reuter.

Indians-Leicestershire Cricket Match Ends In Tame Draw

Leicester, May 12. The task of scoring 219 runs in 130 minutes proved beyond the Indian cricketers here today, where their match against Leicestershire ended in a draw.

Falling well behind the clock, the tourists did not bother to claim the extra half hour and ended their bid still 125 runs short.

The Indians were dismissed for 240 today—55 less than the county's first innings score of 301 for eight declared.

Leicestershire, spear-headed by a great 85 in two hours by their captain, Willie Watson, slammed 163 for four before declaring their second innings closed.

The target set for the tourists was a difficult one—and they never looked like reaching it. At the close, they were 94 for two.

Watson's innings was an object lesson to the Indians, whose batting in this match was disappointing. The England left-hander cut, swept and drove with perfect grace. He hit 11 fours.

Excellent support came from Eddie Phillips, who joined Watson in a stroke-filled fourth-wicket stand of 60.

Erratic Bowling. His unbeaten 40 was the best of the tour. In his previous 20 first class innings he had totalled only 162.

The Indian bowling was erratic. Only leg-spinner Subhas Gupte met with any real success, taking two for 39 in 16 overs.

The tourists' first innings, 222 for eight overnight, ended with

Test Series Net Profit. Net profit for the five Test matches played recently between England and Australia was £2,650,168 (£24,984 sterling).

Mr Leo Rush, treasurer of the Australian Cricket Board of Control, announced yesterday.

This is an increase of £2,152,222 (£12,176 sterling) over the profit in the 1954-55 series.—China Mail Special.

A flourish from Jaislimha, who took his score from 15 to 32 before being bowled by Savage.

Jaislimha, promoted to open with Narendra Tamhane in the absence of the injured Arvind Apte, top-scored in the second innings with 38. Kripal Singh, moved up for valuable batting practice when Apte became obvious the Indians could not win, was unbeaten with 39.

Close of play scores were: Leicestershire: First Innings—301 for eight wickets declared. Second Innings—163 for four wickets declared. (Willie Watson 85, Phillips 40 not out).

Indians: First Innings—240 for eight wickets declared. Second Innings—94 for two wickets (Jaislimha 38, Kripal Singh 20 not out, Tamhane 22).—Reuter.

MOSS TRIES MASERATI'S NEW RACER

Modena, May 12. Britain's ace driver, Stirling Moss, took Maserati's new two-litre sports car for its first run round the Modena track today.

Powered by a four-cylinder engine developing 170 horsepower, the 300 kilogramme car is capable of 270 kilometres an hour (178.25 mph).

The Maserati directors and designer Giulio Alfieri who were at the track side as Moss took the racer round at a comfortable speed said they were satisfied with the test.

Gear box trouble prevented Moss from testing the Maserati a second time but he stated that he was satisfied with the first test.

"I hope to drive the model in some world sports car championship events," said Moss. And he spoke highly of the chances of the British Cooper-Riker racer beating Ferrari in this year's formula one events.—AFP.

Brian London—The Man Everyone Wants To Beat

By DEREK JOHN

What does the future hold for Britain's Brian London after his unsuccessful and unexciting bid for the heavyweight championship of the world?

There is talk of him taking on more American fighters in New York once his battered face and body have recovered from the pounding by Patterson.

Alternatively, he may secure fights in London, where it is reckoned he would be a big draw as "the man who lasted eleven rounds with the world champion."

'Get Out Now'

But my advice to Battling Brian is: Get out of the fight game—NOW. Forget any hopes of regaining your lost title. Be satisfied with the profits reaped since you fought for glory alone as Brian Harper, amateur.

London now has a most attractive bank balance, his own home, and a pretty wife who is expecting her first baby in October. Everything he dreamed of getting when he started out in the thick-car trade four years ago.

Then he expressed the noble sentiment that he was fighting for fortune, not fame; that he hoped to make his "pile" quickly and get out.

But I fear that London will make the all too common mistake of fighting on for "just a little bit more." He picked up £21,000 for providing Floyd Patterson with human guinea pig. Now American promoters are queuing up for his services.

Among heavyweights eager to tackle London are Roy Harris, Zora Volley and Sonny Liston. Any one of them could provide the Blackpool boy with a 20,000-dollar pay-day.

Dynamite Punch

I only hope that London takes care in picking his next American opponent. He would be unwise, for instance, to presume that the seventh-ranking Liston would be easier meat than the fourth-ranking Foley.

Liston, I am told, is the man that every American fighter wants to avoid. A 26-year-old coloured man from Philadelphia, he has lost only one of his 25 contests and scored 14 knock-outs.

He packs a dynamite punch, and last year he finished two fights in the first round and two others in the second round.

Liston would jump at the chance of having a crack at London's lantern jaw. A quick victory over the slow-footed Englishman would greatly strengthen his claims to a world title fight.

And that's why London is the most sought-after opponent in the heavyweight ranks. As Patterson's most successful challenger, he is the most obvious stepping stone to a world title fight.

London should take care that he doesn't get stepped on too hard.

CHARNLEY WINS EMPIRE TITLE WITH SURPRISE KNOCK-OUT VICTORY

London, May 12. British lightweight champion, Dave Charnley, won the British Empire lightweight crown when he knocked out the holder, South Africa's Willie Towel in the tenth round of their scheduled 15-round contest at Wembley this evening.

Twenty-three-year-old Charnley's win came as a surprise for up to the knock-out the clever Towel had dominated the fight.

Towel side-stepped most of Charnley's unscientific attacks landing with three punches to every one of Charnley's that got home.

Charnley, however, had the power punch when he did land. In the opening round he landed a left swing to Towel's body which sent the South African right across the ring and only the ropes saved him from going down.

Turning Point

Afterwards Towel showed great distrust of the British boy's left and kept Charnley at bay with his own straight and fast left hand punching. But the courageous Charnley would not be discouraged by the master boxer and kept on attacking.

The turning point came in the ninth round. Towel came

Following discussions with a representative from Hongkong, the Race Committee in Macao for the 6th Macao Motor Race Meeting have agreed to make every effort to carry out the various suggestions for improvements both in the circuit itself and the general organisation.

These are: Surveys, relating to the circuit, which cover all known "complaints" will be made within the economic resources available.

Improved arrangements for crowd control and the safety of spectators in general, have been planned.

All practice will be restricted to the official practice sessions only. Cars appearing on the circuit at any time other than these periods will be subjected to the normal regulations, any violation of which may entail police proceedings.

Qualifying lap times for Grand Prix cars will be introduced and it is proposed to establish a maximum limit of 4 mins per lap.

The starting lights will be made brighter and a careful check will be made on the timing sequence of these lights.

The repeater score-board as used in previous years, will be discontinued and it is hoped that a more satisfactory system will be available.

A suggested programme is as follows: 1st Day—Ladies Race (20 laps) Production Car Race (15 laps) A.C.P. Cup (20 laps) — for Sports Car whose power does not exceed 110 BHP.

2nd Day—Grand Prix (60 laps). Improved arrangements for the selling of Grand Stand tickets will be made.

The Race Committee will be visiting Hongkong on Wednesday, May 20 and will hold a meeting with all intending entrants and drivers when opportunity will be given for a free discussion of the foregoing and of any other relevant points.

England beat Brazil four goals to two at Wembley Stadium, London, in 1956 and no goals were scored in their World Cup encounter in Sweden last year.

As thousands of hopeful spectators lined up outside the booking offices today with protractors reeling black market tickets at double the official price, rain fell to drop the temperature and favour England's chances.—UPI.

cut of a clinch with a cut eye and Charnley unleashed a two-handed barrage of hooks. He kept it up in the tenth round and put Towel down.

The South African, after resting on one knee, got up, as the referee reached the count of ten. He was very tired.

Charnley's win will probably earn him a clash at American Joe Brown's world title fight.

In another bout Dick Tiger, British Empire middleweight champion, outpointed American Randy Sandy over ten rounds.—AFP.

Improvements To Be Made On Macao 6th Motor Race Meeting

Following discussions with a representative from Hongkong, the Race Committee in Macao for the 6th Macao Motor Race Meeting have agreed to make every effort to carry out the various suggestions for improvements both in the circuit itself and the general organisation.

These are: Surveys, relating to the circuit, which cover all known "complaints" will be made within the economic resources available.

Improved arrangements for crowd control and the safety of spectators in general, have been planned.

All practice will be restricted to the official practice sessions only. Cars appearing on the circuit at any time other than these periods will be subjected to the normal regulations, any violation of which may entail police proceedings.

Qualifying lap times for Grand Prix cars will be introduced and it is proposed to establish a maximum limit of 4 mins per lap.

The starting lights will be made brighter and a careful check will be made on the timing sequence of these lights.

The repeater score-board as used in previous years, will be discontinued and it is hoped that a more satisfactory system will be available.

A suggested programme is as follows: 1st Day—Ladies Race (20 laps) Production Car Race (15 laps) A.C.P. Cup (20 laps) — for Sports Car whose power does not exceed 110 BHP.

2nd Day—Grand Prix (60 laps). Improved arrangements for the selling of Grand Stand tickets will be made.

The Race Committee will be visiting Hongkong on Wednesday, May 20 and will hold a meeting with all intending entrants and drivers when opportunity will be given for a free discussion of the foregoing and of any other relevant points.

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THE GAMBOLES



Barry Apples



SPORTS PICTORIAL

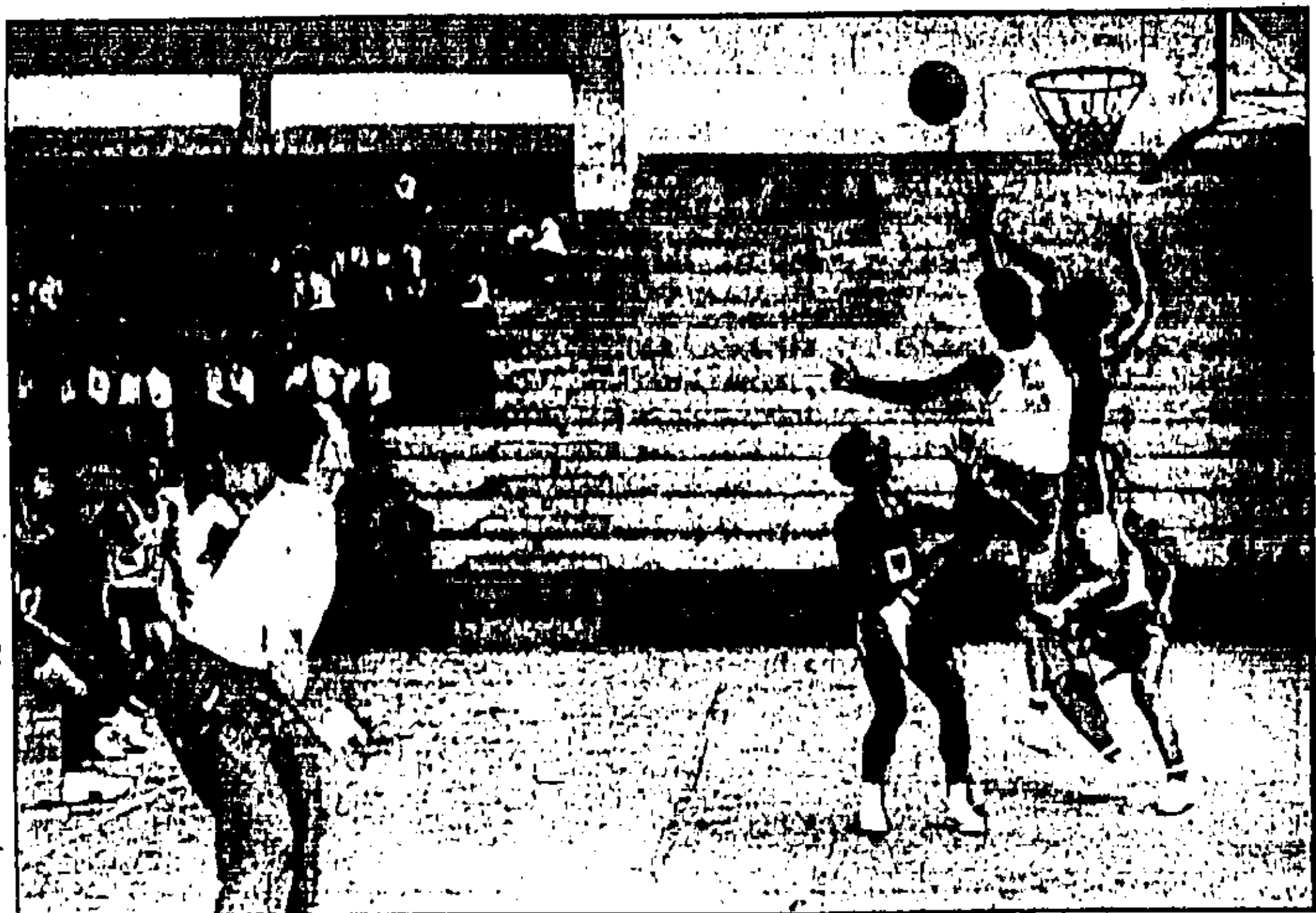


ABOVE: The Ireland XI qualified for the final of the Colony International hockey tournament last Saturday when they eliminated Portugal in the semi-final by 3-2.

Photo shows Recreio opening the scoring when a flick by L. Gutierrez (not in photo) gets past the Irish defenders with the goalkeeper out of position.—China Mail Photo.

RIGHT: Hans Baumer, Germany's No. 1 soccer fan cycles 6,000 miles a year following the international team. Recently, he arrived in Manchester after a 700-mile ride from Heme, Westphalia with 10a, to spend on flowers for the memorial to the Manchester United footballers killed in the Munich air crash last year. Astonished, the 39-year-old water engineer found that there isn't any memorial. "In Germany," he said, "football followers would have made a big public shrine." So Hans cycled off to Glasgow for the Scotland-Germany international saying "I'll keep the flowers until you have a memorial."

Photo shows Hans Baumer and his British-made bicycle.—London Express photo.



ABOVE: Play in progress at the Macpherson Stadium last week during the semi-final match of the Far East Land Forces Basketball championships between 56 Company, RASC, representing Hongkong and the 1st Battalion, Singapore Infantry Regiment. The 56 Company won by 66-45 and went on to beat 1/10 Gurkha Rifles in the final by 48-27.

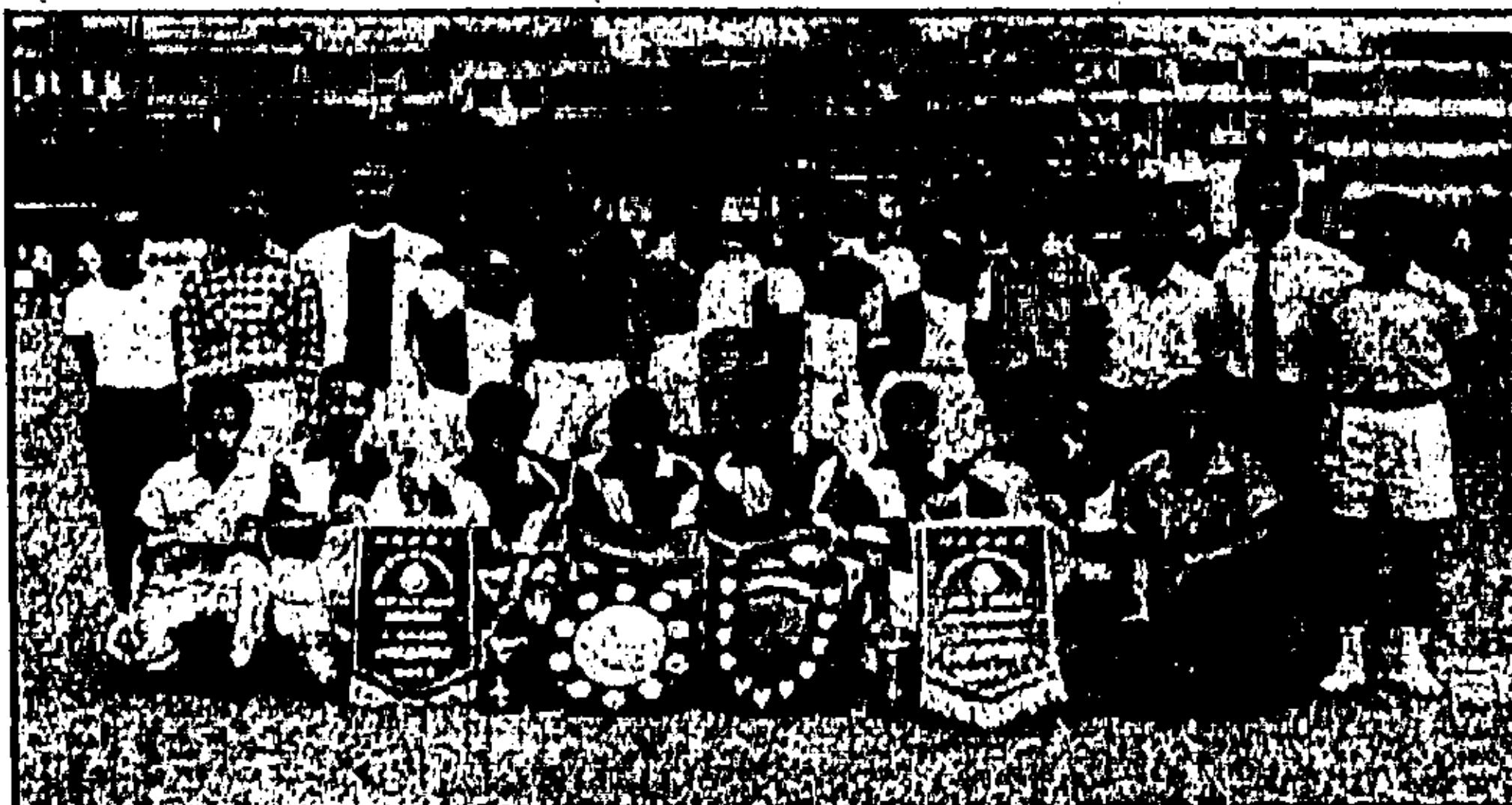


LEFT: One of the Hongkong water-skiers in action at the exhibition held last Saturday at Deep Water Bay in honour of Mr Richard D. Pope, Sr., president of Florida Cypress Gardens Association Inc. and his wife.—China Mail photos.



The Colony lawn bowls season officially opened last Saturday when the first league games of the season were played off.

Photo shows A. M. L. Soares of Craggsower Cricket Club delivering a wood in the first division match between CCO and Recreio 'A' at King's Park. Recreio, the current holders, won the match by four points to one.—China Mail photo.



The local schoolboys' soccer season officially came to a close last Sunday at Boundary Street with the play-off of the remaining seven-a-side matches, and the presentation of prizes by Mr W. S. T. Louey, President of the Hongkong Football Association.

Most successful school of the season was Wah Yan, Kowloon, who won the Inter-school league, knock-out and seven-a-side events in the "A" Grade and the seven-a-side and inter-school league in the "B" Grade.

Above photo shows the successful Wah Yan, Kowloon, team with their team officials.



Lower photo shows the Wah Yan "B" Grade seven-a-side team scoring one of their goals in their final match against Salesian School whom they beat 4-0.—China Mail Photos.



—When Wilkinson's on form, even a Royal divot replacer would have his work cut out to keep up with him.—

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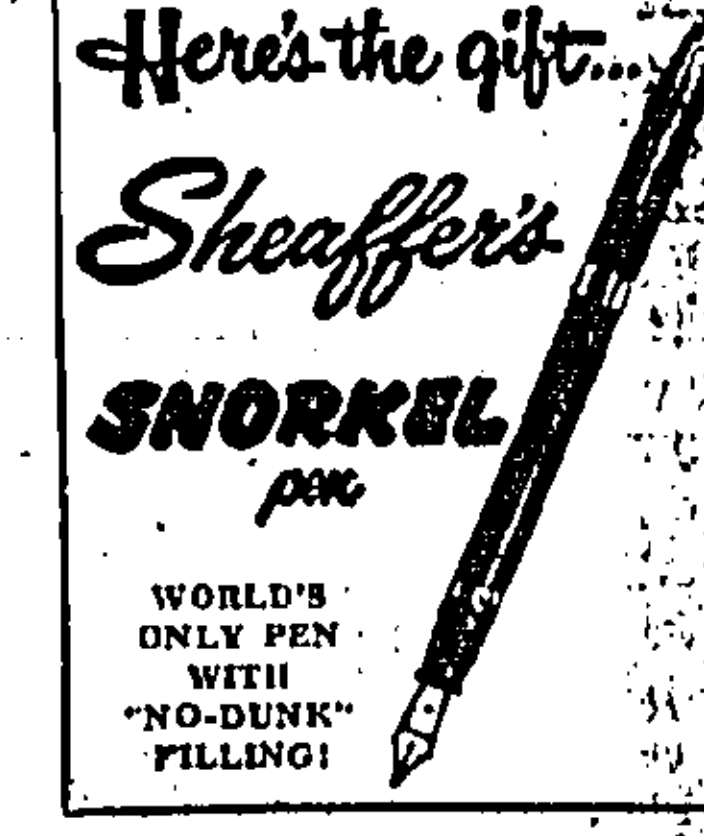
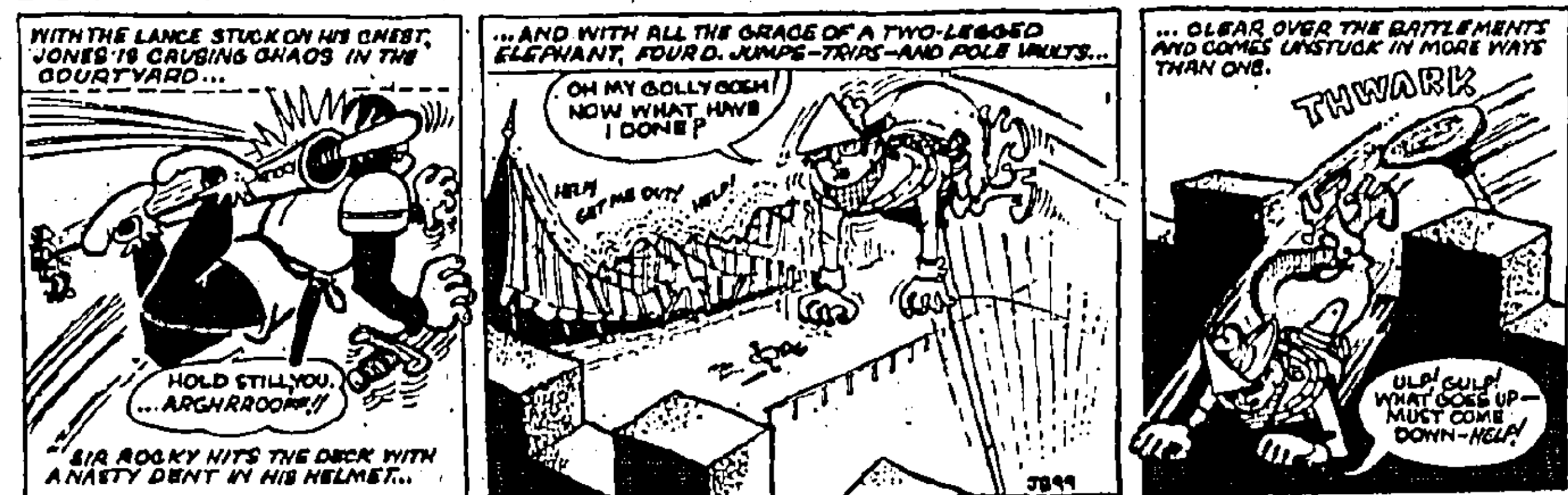


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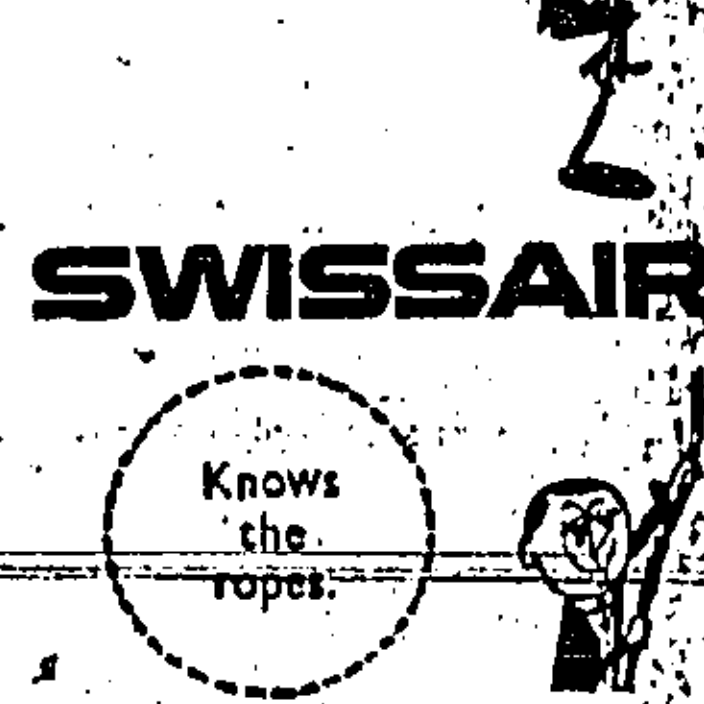
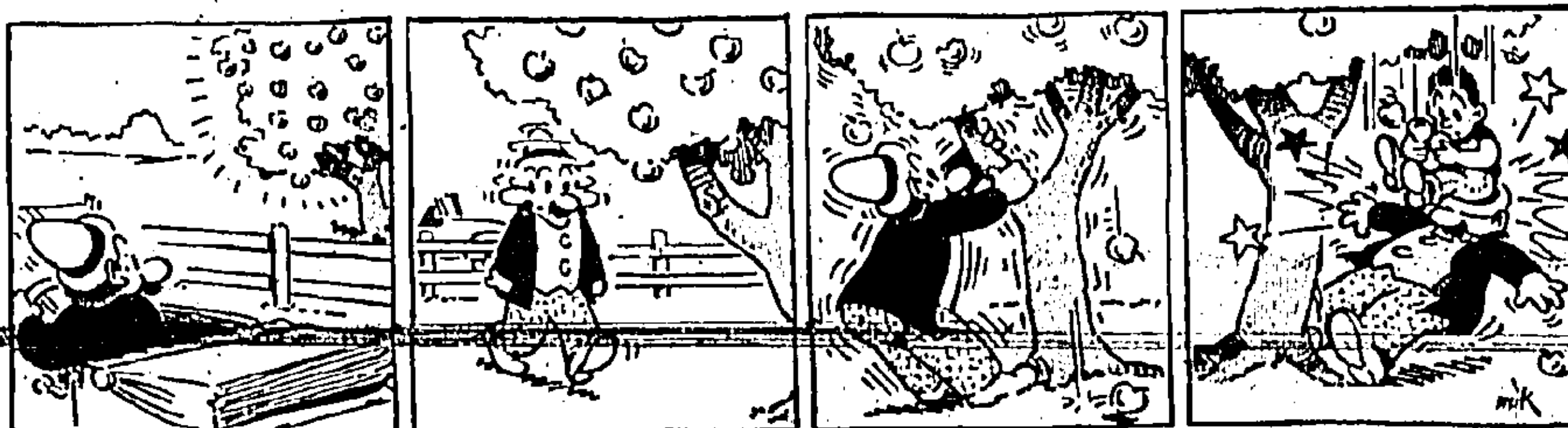
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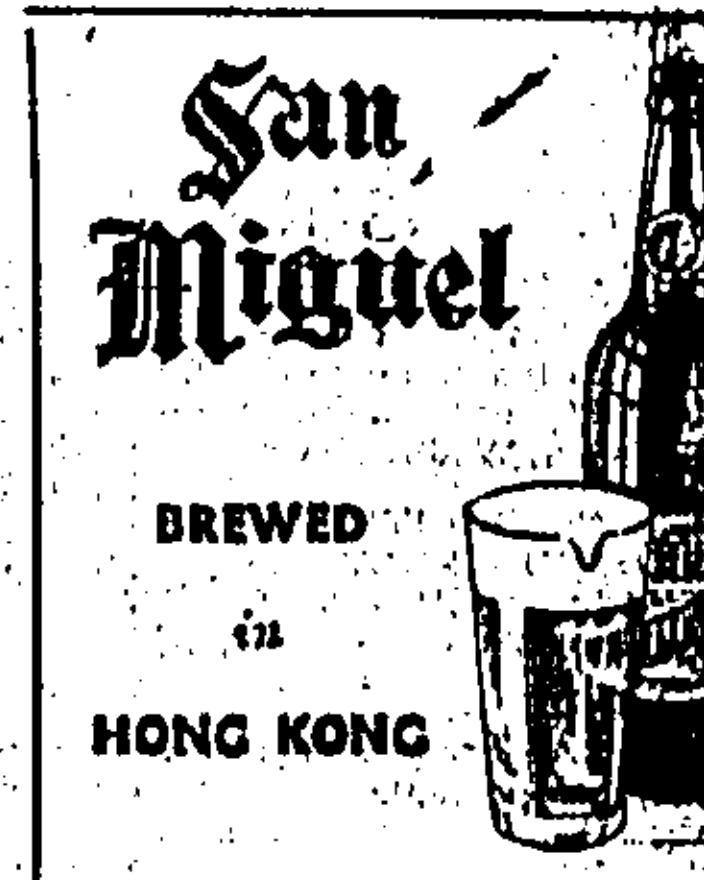
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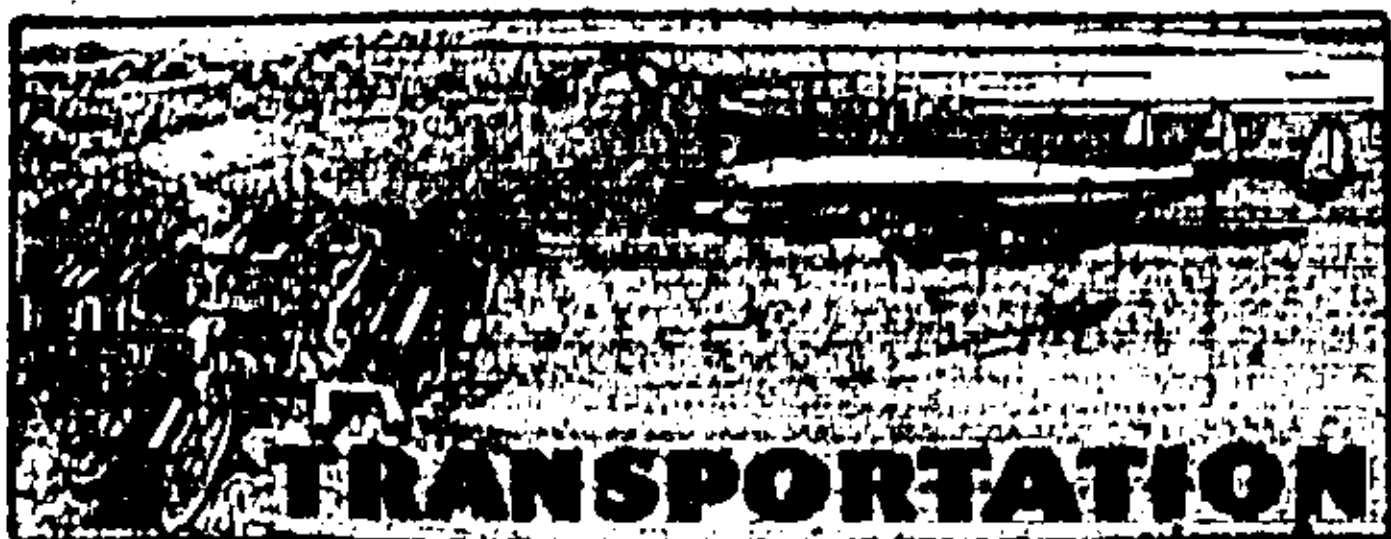
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FORCED BUILDING OF STOCKHOLM'S NEW JET AIRPORT

Stockholm.

STOCKHOLM'S new international airport — Arlanda — is at present under high-speed construction. Nearly 600 construction workers and engineers, aided by the most up-to-date machinery and building equipment, are engaged on the job of completing the airport in time for the introduction of intercontinental jet traffic in 1960, when Scandinavian Airlines System will receive its first long-range DC-8 airliners.

In the initial stage the \$30,000,000 airport will have a 2,500-metre long runway, later to be extended to 3,300 metres.

Contractors for the big job are Skanska Construction Co., Ltd., Stockholm, Sweden, and their field, who obtained the contract in face of keen competition with many foreign firms. Work was started in 1958.

Before the task is completed some 450,000 cubic metres (16,000,000 cu. ft.) of rock will have been removed and three times as much gravel will have been used for filling beneath the surface concrete.

DRILLING OPERATIONS

The drilling operations have been greatly facilitated by 65 fully automatic Atlas Copco steam drills, which are being used in the construction of a new jet-engine workshop.

Scandinavian Airlines System itself is investing some \$10,000,000 in a new hangar at Arlanda. It will be used for the maintenance of the DC-8s, as well as the company's Caravelle jet and DC-7C fleet.

Stockholm's present airport, Bromma, will after the opening of Arlanda assume the job of handling inter-Scandinavian traffic and the growing traffic carried by Yanijet, the Swedish domestic airline.

At Bromma, SAS is investing some \$10,000,000 in the construction of a new jet-engine workshop.

Mirrlees K-Type Diesel For Show

A SPECIAL feature exhibit of a Mirrlees 1,304 hp KSSDMB Marine Propulsion Diesel Engine, a unit of particular interest to owners of trawlers, coasters, tugs, dredgers, etc. will be on view at the Hawker Siddley group's stand at the British Trade Fair, Lisbon.

The engine is of advanced design and robust construction and is capable of a high overall performance with economical fuel and upkeep costs. It offers many advantages as a propulsion unit for trawler service in Portuguese waters.

Mirrlees, Blackerton & Day Ltd., a member of Hawker Siddley group, already have in service throughout the world more than 500 of their range of K-type engines of various horsepower, developing 855,183 bhp.

They have been successfully used in Portuguese fishing vessels and in generating sets in the Portuguese overseas territories of Madeira and the Azores.

POWER RATINGS

Mirrlees K-type marine engines for propulsion duty are available with power ratings up to 4,340 bhp.

Other Hawker Siddley Industries exhibits include units of the Petter range covering aircooled and watercooled engines up to 100 hp.

Petter engines are designed for industrial, agricultural and marine applications, and are used all over the world for building and earthmoving machinery in climates varying from tropical to arctic.

All the units are backed by a fully-comprehensive world-wide spares service.

AGREEMENT WITH THE CHANCELLOR

Risks Necessary On Known Facts

By RONALD BOXALL

London, May 12.

Now that the excitement of the tax remissions has died down the platform of public debate has been left free for serious commentators—and almost without exception they agree with what the Chancellor is trying to do and how he is trying to do it.

Typical of recent comment is an article headed "Too Big a Risk" in the current issue of the Westminster Bank Review. It questions the possibility of the Government being able to raise in the next year in which some £950 million of the existing government debt falls due for payment, between £300 million and £400 million of new money to finance the huge overall deficit that Mr. Heathcote Amory has budgeted for.

Worried

The Bank is also worried about the risk that has been taken with the British balance of payments. But it agrees with most commentators that the present is clearly an occasion for some risk, on the facts as we know them there is no reason to suppose that Mr. Amory has been too adventurous.

The risks inherent in the Budget are, of course, well known to Mr. Amory—and he never tires of acknowledging them. He has referred to the danger of trying to stimulate an economy out of a mild recession without sacrificing price stability achieved over the past year or so.

Addressing a distinguished gathering of American bankers in London he said: "In taking steps, the effect of which will be to cause a limited expansion of demand I have acted in the belief that this can now take place without causing a resumption of the inflationary process. As we know it, we have been, however, extremely careful to assure ourselves that what we have done is not likely to create the degree of pressure which demand on resources of the past."

Determined

The next day he told the National Production Advisory Council on Industry—a body on which the trade unions, management and government are represented—that there had been broad agreement that economic growth must be carried through "in a manner which will not bring us back to any kind of unhealthy boom accompanied by rising costs and prices, overtight conditions in industry and a weak position in our balance of payments."

He went on: "The Government are determined to avoid these dangers. Budget relief is neither intended nor expected to lead to a boom but to a further phase of steady and cautious expansion. Above all I think that we are in an excellent position now if we are careful to achieve expansion without the risk of inflationary pressure even with some lower prices."

There is no shortage of experts to point out that the area for manoeuvre between deflation and inflation is an exceedingly small one. But most of them are agreed that the Chancellor has framed his Budget to operate inside this area.

One of the most respected commentators of all, Sir Oscar Hobson, however, believes Mr. Amory "has gone dangerously far in offering hostages to fortune" in a view shared by Mr. Enoch Powell, one of the Treasury ministers who resigned at the beginning of last year when it appeared that the Government was "going soft" on its disinflationary policy.

Employment

Sir Oscar does not trust professional economists who calculate that there is such and such an amount of "spare capacity" in the economic system, so and so many "unused resources" and proceed to figure out how much more income is needed to bring the spare capacity and resources into employment.

"Their basic assumption seems to me," writes Sir Oscar in "The Banker" this week, "that if there are 10 per cent of resources unemployed you can ensure their re-employment by increasing the income of the

community by 11 per cent. I agree that if resources are fully employed the income of the community (assuming constant prices) will be 11 per cent higher than if the resources are only 90 per cent employed. But I do not agree that you can necessarily bring about employment of unused resources by the creation of extra incomes and still less that you can guarantee their continued employment."

He restates a doctrine that he says is as old as the hills but which nowadays there seems to be almost a conspiracy to suppress. As he sees it "the function of the monetary and fiscal policy is to promote the lasting prosperity of the country. The lasting prosperity implies a high level of employment and machines but it is not consistent with full employment of either since overfull employment is the enemy of flexibility and mobility which are essential. If prompt advantage is to be taken of new processes and inventions and if shifting demand of the public is to be served."

Sir Oscar goes on: "If it were possible to make a comprehensive survey of the effects on the efficiency of individual firms, of shrinking demand, narrowing profit margins and even the threat of unemployment I believe that the results would be astonishing. There is no doubt that over the wide range of industry the percentage of 'hoarded' labour has been substantial. Its existence goes a long way towards explaining why output in this country has shown no increase in the past four years."

Doubtful

If he felt doubtful about the size of the tax remissions he preferred that Mr. Amory should have hastened rather more slowly. It was because he would not like to see him follow in the footsteps of Mr. Butler who overdone Britain with pick-me-ups in the years 1953-55.

Some of the younger economists agree with Sir Oscar. They think that the opportunity should be taken to ensure a more economic use of men and machines. This, they say, means a job for everyone, not just a job for the men in the same jobs for the same firms. And they have coined a new phrase to describe the state of affairs which we have left behind and which they hope we will never return to—it is "brim-full employment."—London Express Service.

New York Cotton Futures Less Active

New York, May 12.

Cotton futures trading today proved less active and more two-sided.

While new crop months sagged under May liquidation and trade hedging in July, new crop months edged up to new seasonal highs.

At the close the list ruled 11 lower to 9 points higher. Opening prices were off 4 to 2 points. New Orleans closed up 14 points.

December met an underlying demand from trade accounts with Memphis connections while other new crop months found buying orders from wire houses and local traders.

Other leading spot interest was sales of May around at the 35.00 cents level. Open interest in May today was down to 49,400 bales. The certificated stock totalled 58,482 bales with 1,033 bales awaiting inspection. Trading in the May delivery will end at 12.30 p.m. tomorrow.

HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

Business done on the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to approximately \$622,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

Shares	Buyers	Sellers	Sales
BANKS			
HSK Bank	500	850	120 @ 500
HSK Bank			10 @ 800
HSK Bank			50 @ 1800

East Asia	200		
INSURANCES			
Lombard	31		

SHIPPING			
Wheelock	5.00	6.00	2000 @ 5.95
Wheelock			1000 @ 5.95

DOCKS, ETC.			
HSK Wharf	40	40	100 @ 60
Dock	40	40	200 @ 40
President	1.00	1.00	100 @ 34
Taihook	34	34	200 @ 34

LAND, ETC.			
HSK Hotel	28.00	28.00	500 @ 28.00
HSK Land	32.25	32	20 @ 32
HSK Land			4 @ 32

Humphreys	15	15	1000 @ 15.10
Ready	1.025	1.05	1000 @ 15.10
RUBBER			
Amalg	2.5	2.55	1000 @ 2.55
Amalg	2.425	2.50	1000 @ 2.55
Amalg			2000 @ 2.45

A. Towah	3.15		
Sungai	2.25		
S. Kertan	1.10		
Amalg	2.85	2.85	100 @ 1.10
Yamut	104	105	100 @ 104

C. Light	18.20	18.40	500 @ 18.20
Electric	27.70	27.80	500 @ 18.20
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INDUSTRIALS			
GENCO	20	20	2000 @ 20
STONES, ETC.			
Watson	14.70	14.80	500 @ 14.70
Watson	17.20	17.40	500 @ 14.70

COTTONS			
Textile	4.725	4.80	1500 @ 4.75
Textile			2000 @ 4.75
Nanyang	8.10		
Amalg	0.90		
Amalg	4.475		
Invest	11.10		
Invest			150 @ 11.20
Invest			1000 @ 11.20

Exchange Rates

Business was done in the local principal exchange market this morning at the following rates: U.S. dollars (per \$1) 3.75; Hong Kong (per \$1) 15.97; Australian notes (per \$1) 13.50; Indonesian Rupiah (per 100) 3.30; Straits (per 100) 25.45; Singapore (Straits) 1.81.



"It wasn't diminution of responsibility, I don't need psycho-analytical treatment, and my mental maturity is OK—I just robbed that bank for the dough!"

London Express Service

WALL STREET RAIL SHARES GAIN UP TO THREE POINTS

New York, May 12.

Railroad shares featured an irregular stock market today by registering gains of 1 to 3 points.

The rise in the carriers got a start when Pennsylvania Railroad's stockholders were told of sharp gains in income with the prospect the first quarter deficit of \$6,300,000 would be entirely wiped out by the end of May. Pennsylvania gained a fraction. Western Pacific rose more than 3. Gains of a point or better appeared in Northern Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio, Chesapeake & Ohio, Rock Island, Illinois Central and New York Central.

Electronics Sold

Electronics issues met selling in most instances and lost 1 to more than 4 points. Thikol fell in the exotic field. Many special issues declined. Building issues showed strength. Chrysler held strong in the motors but other issues did nothing. Du Pont, at one time up 8 points, closed with a gain of 5 1/2 points. Allied Chemical rose nearly 2 points. Union Carbide rose more than 2 points. Thikol lost 5 and Victor Chemical more than 4 points.

Today's volume was 3,550,000 shares.

Of a total 1,245 issues traded, 490 were higher and 515 lower.

American Exchange volume was 1,490,000 shares.

Bonds volume amounted to \$5,520,000.

Dow-Jones closing averages were:

30 Industrials	627.05
20 Rails	104.03
15 Utilities	92.01
60 Stocks	213.89
30 Bonds	104.03
Comm. future price index	151.00

Closing Prices

Abtill Pwd. & Paper	8.35 1/2
Alden Inc. Acy.	32 1/2
Algonquin Steel Corp.	10 1/2
Allied Chemicals	116 1/2
Alum. Ind. Inc.	41 1/2
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Am. Brake Shoe	60 1/2
Am. Chl. & Soda	20 1/2
American Cable & Radio	11 1/2
Corp. Comm. Bond	98 1/2
Amer. & Foran Power	16 1/2
Amer. National Gas	63

NEW YORK

Rex rubber futures today closed 35 to 60 points higher with sales of 102 contracts.

Closing prices: May 30.50; July 40.00; Sept. 35.00; Nov. 30.00; Jan. 30.00; Mar. 30.00.

Higher trend reports reflected the action of the foreign markets, and favourable reports from the automobile industry. A steel company economist estimated the year probably will produce 6,000,000 cars. Other buyers predicted recent selling on the stockpile. Liquidation talk had been exaggerated. They later predicted a steady advance that months period must elapse from the time Congress approved any legislation before sales from the stockpile can be affected. Spot No. 1 RS was quoted at 35 1/2 cents.

AMSTERDAM

The rubber market was quiet today. Prices closed in guilders per kilogram, c.i.f. June as follows:

No. 1 rubber	2.84 buyers
No. 2 rubber	2.81 buyers
No. 3 rubber	2.81 buyers
No. 1 crepe	3.10 nom.

SINGAPORE

The market opened higher on better overseas advices and ruled quickly steady with fair interest in lower sheets and remittals.

There were quantities of forwards offering at wider prices, but buyers for these positions were reserved.

Physicals were scarce throughout the afternoon and little business conducted.

Futures

No. 1 rubber per lb.	100 1/2-108
No. 2 rubber per lb.	100 1/2-108 1/2
No. 3 rubber per lb.	100 1/2-104 1/2
No. 1 crepe per lb.	100 1/2-104 1/2
No. 2 crepe per lb.	100 1/2-104 1/2
No. 3 crepe per lb.	100 1/2-104 1/2

LONDON

The rubber market was steady with spot quoted at 80 1/2 pence per lb. Prices:

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MURDER TRIAL IN CLOSING STAGES

Dr Yap's Evidence On Fourth Accused

The trial of four young men accused of beating So Shiu-bor, a camp leader, to death, at the Cape Collinson Boys' Training Camp on November 17 last, reached its closing stages today.


The four accused are Yau Kin-wah, 20, Ng Tak-wai, 21, Chin Siu-kai, 20, and Choi To, 19.

Year's Gaol, Big Fine For Woman With Drugs

A 38-year-old woman, Tseng So-lin, who admitted the possession of 7.5 grammes of heroin, was sentenced to a year's imprisonment and fined \$10,000 (with the alternative of six months' gaol) by Mr T. L. Yang at Central Magistracy this morning.

She was also sentenced to a year's gaol for the possession of 27 grammes of barbitone. Mr Yang ordered the sentences to run concurrently. Defendant was arrested by Police who raided her rooftop hut at 6.10 p.m. on Monday. The drugs were found in paper packages. Defendant had no previous conviction.

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The trial is before Mr Justice A. D. Scholtes.

Evidence was given by Dr P. M. Yap, Psychiatric Specialist and Medical Superintendent of the Mental Hospital, Hongkong, this morning, concerning the fourth accused, Choi To.

Dr Yap said that he had talked with Choi To for two hours on May 7 and found him of adequate intelligence and, in spite of a tendency to appear abnormal, he was not insane.

He Knew

Dr Yap said that, from his perusal of the statements made by various witnesses, and especially a statement made by the fourth accused himself after the incident at the Camp, the fourth accused was in a position to know what he was doing on November 16 and 17, and to distinguish right from wrong. Counsel then began their final addresses.

Appearing for the first accused (Yau) was Mr A. Zimmern, instructed by Ford, Kwan and Co. for the second (Ng) Mr Lawrence Leung, instructed by Deacons; the third (Chin) Mr Henry H. L. Hu, instructed by Johnson, Stokes and Master, and for the fourth (Choi), Mr Benjamin Liu, instructed by Bruton & Co.

Mr Desmond Mayne, Senior Crown Counsel, was assisted by Deft Insp. W. R. J. Boxall.

BITING ATTACK ON U.S. ENVOY

Manila, May 13. A leading Philippine daily newspaper today criticised American Ambassador Charles E. Bohlen with one of the most biting attacks ever launched against a U.S. envoy here.

The Ambassador was not available for immediate comment. The influential Manila Chronicle severely criticised the American Ambassador's stand in the current exploration talks on the issue of American military bases in the Philippines.

The cartoon showed Ambassador Bohlen picking his nose while flies buzzed around his stocking feet. He was depicted as phoning Washington and asking for instructions on the bases talks while a passive Serrano sat in the background playing chess.

Let Talks Collapse

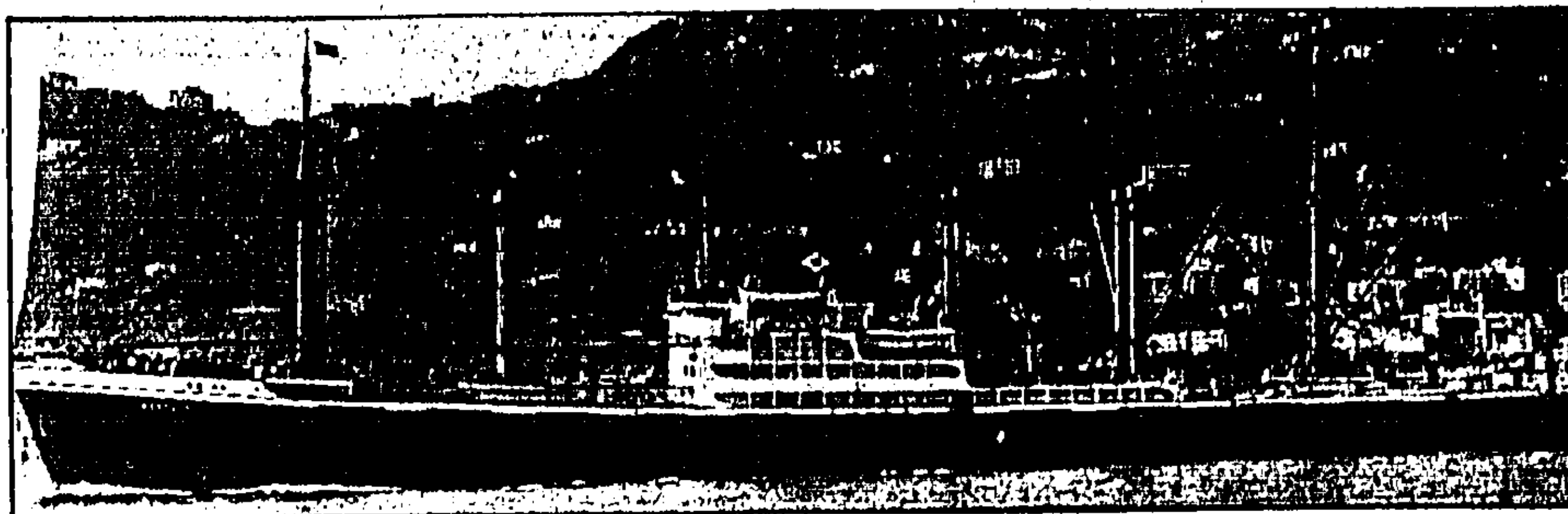
The editorial criticised what it termed "A brazen proposition of the American Ambassador regarding off-duty offences committed by American servicemen in the Philippines."

"Let the talks collapse, we say, and let us fall back on the infamous bases agreement of 1947. But let us do our utmost to expose the essential hypocrisy of the American policy in the Philippines and tell the whole world that the basic design of the U.S. here as revealed in the actions of Ambassador Bohlen is to use her bases to perpetuate her suzerainty over the country," the editorial said.

The columnist commented favourably on a frontpage photo showing Bohlen and an assistant waiting in the ante-room of Secretary Serrano's office, "were cooling their heels" waiting "for the Secretary" to ask them to come in.

—UPI.

Tjibantjet Completely Overhauled



A photo of the Tjibantjet before she was wrecked.

BIRDSONG TIMES MAY BE RECORDED BY HK WATCHERS

Hongkong bird-watchers may be active on Sunday morning and evening to record the dawn and dusk chorus of birds throughout the Colony.

This information has been asked for by the World Bird Research Station at Ganton, Northumberland, England, who have included the Colony in their round-the-world observation plan.

The Bird Research Station have sent correspondence to all parts of the globe, asking local bird-watchers to record the first and last bird songs on Sunday, May 17.

The secretary of the research station states that a good dawn or dusk record is a valuable piece of original information.

LOCAL PARTICIPATION

But he adds that the value of such a record is enhanced by as full details as possible such as position, accurate time, height above sea level, latitude or longitude, and number of singers of each species of bird identified.

The secretary of the Hongkong Bird-Watching Society, Commander Jim Humphries of HMS Tamar, said this morning that he had not yet been informed of this observation.

But he added, "Now that we do know, I hope we will be able to get some local participation in this world-wide event."

Commander Humphries can be contacted at HMS Tamar (30381 extension 263).



This picture shows the orphans before they left this morning (from left to right) Poy Bin, Phick Chiu, Po Ling, Nai Nui, and Tak Shau. In the back row are Mr Kwong Kok-lee, Mr Ho Kin-wing, Mrs H. Ho and Miss Kowung Goo-lung—China Mail Photo.

FIVE CHINESE ORPHANS LEAVE FOR AMERICA

Representatives of the International Social Service Inc. in Hongkong today farewelled five Chinese orphans who are flying to the United States to start new lives with American families.

The children, three girls and two boys aged from 18 months to eight years, are being accompanied on their long trip by one of the social service workers.

Two of the girls, 18-month-old Tak Shau, and four-year-old Nai Nui, are from the Po Leung Kuk, and the other, two-year-old Po Ling, from the Fanning Babies' Home.

Tak Shau is being adopted by a New York family, Nai Nui is going to Iowa, and Po Ling is needed for Massachusetts.

The boys, 7-year-old Poy Bin, and 8-year-old Phick Chiu, are

Boy Injured

A five-year-old boy was knocked down and injured by a private car in Caine Road near its junction with Old Bailey Street at about 6.35 p.m. yesterday. The injured boy, Wong Shing of 53, Tung Street, second floor, was admitted to Queen Mary Hospital.

THE SHIP THAT WAS WRECKED BY A TYPHOON SAILS AGAIN

The 8,249-ton Royal InterOcean Lines freighter, Tjibantjet which had undergone a nearly complete overhaul after running aground is expected to come back into service next week after some more checks.

The ship whose body and machinery had been heavily damaged on September 22, 1957 when she ran aground hard on the rocks below the Devil's Peak near Lyonnun Pass at the height of Typhoon Gloria has been out on test runs yesterday and today with a new crew.

According to a company spokesman, the freighter, after more checks in the Kowloon Dock, is expected to sail to Japan on May 20 as a start of her new service between Japan, Hongkong and Indonesia, twice monthly.

A spokesman for the Kowloon Dock which undertook the overhaul said the ship has been almost completely reconstructed since September last after extensive damage in the storm.

"She is now her same old self again good for service."

'U.S. ROCKET TO LAND ON MOON BY 1966'

New York, May 12.

Cornell University Professor Philip Morrison said today that the United States in 1966 would launch a 10-ton rocket which would be able to make a trip to the moon and return to earth.

Morrison, in a lecture at the University, said the rocket would probably carry only scientific instruments and no human passengers. It would be able to land on the moon and be automatically "re-launched" toward earth, he said.

The professor said the U.S. would try next year to send rockets to Mars and Venus, and would be able by 1962 to hit both planets.

Meanwhile in Bonn, a senior German rocket expert said today that he would not be surprised if Russia launches a manned space rocket this year.

No Danger

"There is no danger to man in space which cannot now be overcome by science," Professor Permann Oerth said in a speech published in a Bonn newspaper.

"It would not be surprising if the Russians this year, and the Americans in 1962, fire the world's first manned rockets into space."

Professor Oerth returned here from the United States last November after working for three years on American rocket projects.—AFP and Reuter.

'Why I Divorced Queen Soraya'

London, May 12.

The Shah of Iran said today he had divorced Queen Soraya to perpetuate the dynasty because that country was "very important for the security of the Middle East and its future."

Answering questions at a crowded Press conference he said he could, if he did not have a direct heir, pick out from his family someone to succeed him. — Reuter.

From the Files

25 years AGO

ON April 4, 1891, writes Colonial in Old Hongkong, there descended on Hongkong a solid block of Russian royalty. The city was beflagged for the occasion. Guns from the men-of-war of four nationalities roared the Royal Salute. The Governor himself came down to the Praya to welcome His Royal Highness, Prince Nikolai Alexandrovich, heir apparent to the throne of Russia.

Little did Hongkong imagine that it was that day to entertain a man whose name was to be written in one of the bloodiest chapters in history.

In 1894, Nikolai Alexandrovich, became Tsar of Russia. In 1917, during the greatest revolution in all history, he was swept from the throne of the Romanoffs and murdered in a cellar in a Siberian village with his whole family.

But there was no hint of tragedy on that bright morning of April 4, 1891. Hongkong took royalty very seriously in those days and a visit from the Prince of the House of Russia was an event to be celebrated with no little ceremony.

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The unusual excuse that he parked his car in the middle of Gloucester Road because when he had parked it on the correct side, cigarette ends and other things were often thrown into it, was made by E. Greyer of Messrs Sander Weller and Co when summoned before Mr Hamilton at Central for having caused an obstruction with his car in Gloucester Road. Mr Greyer was cautioned.

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H. OWEN Hughes, the Interport cricketer, figured as defendant in a traffic case before Mr Hamilton at Central yesterday while in another case he was commended for informing the Police of a case of dangerous driving.

Answering a charge of having driven his car from Chater Road and turning to the Post Office without having circled the beacon, Mr Owen Hughes admitted a technical offence.

He said he was trying to park his car outside Watson's before going to the Hongkong Hotel.

He intended to go to Statue Square, but when he was half way around he thought he would go to Blake Pier instead and accordingly cut straight across without circling the beacon.

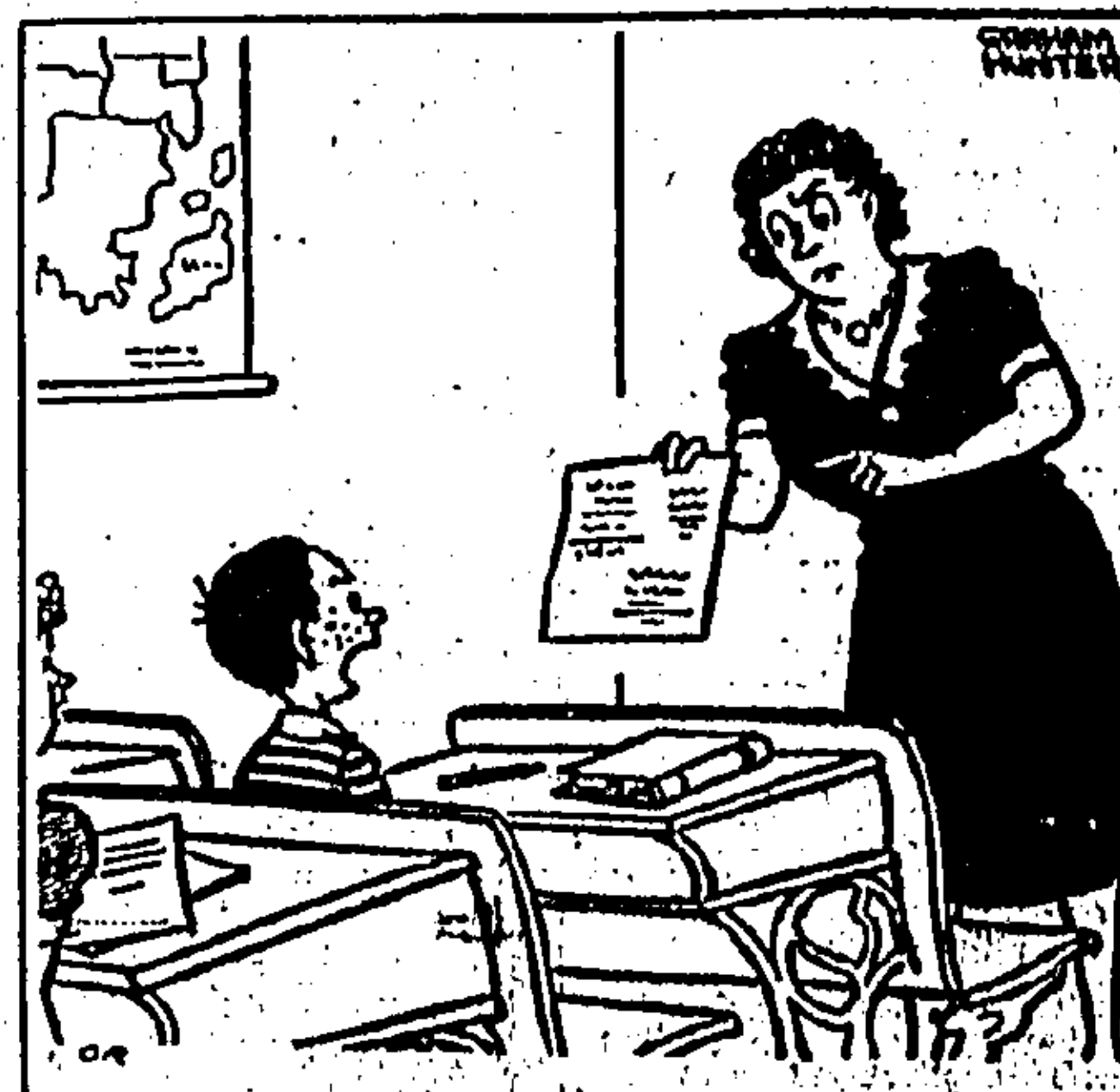
There was absolutely no traffic and he was proceeding on a walking pace. The case was dismissed with a caution.

Jewels Stolen

Jewellery valued at \$1,350 was stolen from a flat in North Point yesterday.

According to a report made to the Police, the jewellery was stolen from No. 815, King's Road, 9th floor, between 12.30 p.m. and 9.30 p.m.

This Funny World



"It CAN'T be worse. Pop NEVER makes a mistake."

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